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September 23. Store Nordiske, Danish str. -G: N. TEBEGRAPH Co.

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September 23. Peking, British steamer, 954, Henermann, Whampon 23rd September, Ge-

neral.—Simmssen & Co. September 23, NINGCHOW, British str., 1,735, Castle, Liverpool 12th August, and Singapore 17th September, General.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

September 23, Tetartos, German str., 1,578, J. Petersen, Nagasaki 18th September, Cool.-TAKASIMA COLUERY. September 23, Sherard Osborn, British str.,

875. W. Fawcus, Singapore 16th September. -E. E. TELEGRAPH Co. September 23, Sikh, British steamer, 1,510, A. Scotland, Australia via Java, and Sourabaya Chambers's English Literature, 2 Vols. bound

16th, September, Sugar.—GIBE, LIVINGS-TON & Co. September 23, INGRAHAN, German str., 783, M. Ruge, put back .- BUN HIN CHAN.

CLEARANCES. AT TAK HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

23RD SEPTEMBER Chelydra, British str., for Saigon. Dafila, British str., for Hoihow: Peking, British str., for Shanghai Maris, German str., for Haiphong. Carisbrooke, British str., for Nagasaki. Movehove, British str., for Macao. Diamante, British str., for Manile, Orestes, British str., for Amoy. Travancore, British str., for New York. Marianne, French bark, for Newshwang.

DEPARTURES. September 23, P. N. BLANCHARD, British ship, for New York.

September 23, Brindisi, Brit. str., for Europe. September 23, CLARA, German str., for Chefoo. September 23, MELITA, German str., for Cebu. September 23, Sussex, British str., for Saigon, September 23, Scoonow, Brit. str., for Macao. September 23, Velox, Ger. str., for Whampoa.

> PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Catterthum, str., from Sydney, &c.-Mr Daly from Port Darwin, and 33 Chinese. Per Sikh, str., from Australia, &c .- Mrs. Steinfield and 5 children from Melbourne, and 23 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Brindisi, str., from Hongkong,-For Singapore.—Mesers, G. Van Delden and M. Van Delden. For Bombay.-Messrs. D. Hoosunjee and M. A. Shaik Kumroodin.

REPORTS.

The Brish steamer Travancore, from Amoy. 22nd Said asber, reports had fine weather, southerly winds and swells. The German steamer Velox, from Newchwang

15th September, and Chefoo 16th, reports had fine weather and high southerly sea. The German steamer Tetartes, from Nagasaki

ported all right, from Hongkong, 9 days out. The British steamer Sikh, from Australia via Java, and Sourabaya 16th September, reports from Sourabaya first part light winds and fine

weather. From Karimata strong S.W. winds and very confused sea. On the 18th inst. spoke the strs. Kildare and Prins Hendrik, off Kari-The British steamer Ningchow, from Liver-

pool 12th August, and Singapore 17th September, reports on the 18th, 19th, and 20th instant experienced light S.W. monsoon and fine wea ther. On the 21st and morning of 22nd had strong W. to S.W. winds and high confused sea. current setting to the southward about 50 miles LAZARUS' SPECTACLES. per day; from thence to port fine weather. The British steamer Fokien, from Tamsui

16th September, Amoy 20th, and Swatow 22nd reports from Tameni to Amoy had light variable winds and fine weather. From Amoy to Neuralgia and Dizziness caused by excessive Swatow had moderate easterly winds and high exposure and are the surest preventative of Selangor, owner of the "Pudu," "Simpah," swell. From Swatow to port had light winds Sunstroke. and calm weather, southerly swell. In Tamsui N. LAZARUS-By Special Appointment to Mines, Selangor. str. Way-ting. In Amoy strs. Travancore and H. E. The Vicercy and Governor-General of

The British steamer Sherard Osborn, from Singapore 16th September, reports after leaving Singapore had light winds and fine weather til the 19th inst.; thence strong winds from S.W. to W.S.W. to the 21st, when it blew a strong gale from W.S.W. with a very heavy sea; had to TR. C. P. CHATER gives notice to the heave the ship to for 10 hours. Bar. at 29.46. From 21st to port strong to moderate breezes and dull hazy weather.

leaving Port Darwin had moderate to light S.E. pointed. winds as far as the Basillan Straits, which was passed on the 18th; from there to Cabra Island tion, received many valuable suggestions and In crossing the China Hea had moderate S.W. monacon and high confused sea till arrival causing steamer to roll heavily.

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CLARETS, CHAMPAGNE. HOCKS, BURGUNDY. BRANDY, WHISKIES, ALE, STOUT, MACHINERY, PIANOS, COOKING STOVES, and TRICYCLES. SCALES, BICYCLES. PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH.

Apply to W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Bank Buildings. Hongkong, 1st January, 1886.

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Hongkong, 21st September, 1887.

FELLY AND WALSH'S LIST OF NEW AND POPULAR BOOKS King Solomon's Mines, Witches Head, She less, and Allan Quartremain, by Rider Haggard (cheap Editions). Cassell's Book of Sports and Pastimes.

in half Calf: M'Culloch's Commercial Dictionary. Bithell's Counting House Dictionary. Bryant, Stratton, & Packards' Interest Table Beston's Book of Needlework. The Lady's Bazsar and Fancy Fair Book. Handy Volume Edition Shakespeare, . Vols. in case, Leather and Cloth Bindings. Youatt on the Horse.

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CLES give the greatest relief in most cases of pore.

No. 75, HONGKONG HOTEL. For a few days only. Consultation free. LONDON, AND CHINA. Hongkong, 6th September, 1887. POSTPONEMENT OF MEETING OF MARINE LOT HOLDERS.

MARINE LOT HOLDERS and to the ATTORNEYS and AGENTS of ABSENT MARINE LOT HOLDERS that the Meeting proposed to be held at the CITY HALL TO-DAY. The British steamer Catterthun, from Sydney | the 17th instant, cannot, with due regard 29th August, Townsville 2nd September, Cook- to the important interests concerned, be usetown 3rd, Thursday Island 7th, and Port Dar- fully held on that day, and he-begs that the win 13th, reports experienced generally fine wea- MARINE LOT HOLDERS and their Representather on the Australian Coast as far as Thursday tives will meet him at the same place on Island; from thence to Port Darwin moderate SATURDAY, the 1st October next, at S.E. wind and sea with thick hazy weather; after 2.30 P.M., instead of to-day as originally ap-

Mr. CHATER has, in response to his invitahad strong S.W. winds with heavy sea accom- amendments and has been promised many more, panied with heavy thunder storm, wind and rain. and he needs further time to examine them and to obtain the views of the Government thereon. Hongkong, 17th September, 1887.

DOWLANDS, KALTDOR cools and refreshes the face and hands of HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK all exposed to the hot sun and dust, eradicates freekles, sunburn, tan, &c., and produces a beautiful and delicate complexion. ${f ROWLANDS'}$ ODONTO

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Hongkong, 20th Saptember, 1887. NOTICE TOULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

America, China and Japan.

1.—The business of the above Bank will b conducted by the Hongkong and Shangha Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.-Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang hai Hanking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their

daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank. Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7.--Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of Fig. Page Book are mossessing For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st September, 1857. NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

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THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Buys and Selis Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

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APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANCES of such Claims parchased on advantageous terms. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE

E. W. RUTTER,

Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887.

THE RAWANG TIN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED. Incorporated under the "Indian Companies" 18th September, reports on the 22nd inst. spoke affected by a strong light. These cases are Act 1866," wherehy the liability of Shareholders

CAPITAL \$125,000, divided into 6,250 Shares of \$20 each, payable as follows :-

82 on application: 84 on allotment: \$2 on 1st December, 1887. \$2 on lat February, 1888.

per share. DIRECTORS: JAMES GUTHRIE DAVIDSON, Esq., (Advocate THEODORE SORST, Esq., (Merchant) Singa-

and Solicitor) Singapore, Chairman. THOMAS SCOTT THOMSON, Esq., (Merchant) Bingapore.

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BANKERS: CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA. SOLICITORS:

MESSES. RODYK & DAVIDSON, Singapore. AUDITOR: ALEXANDER JAMES GUNN, Esq., Accountant,

GENERAL AGENTS: MESSRS. W. R. SCOTT & Co., Merchants,

OFFICES: No. 5, COLLYEE QUAY, Singapore. The Subscription List will be closed on the morning of SATURDAY, lat October next. Applications for Shares may be sent to the CHARTEBED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA.

LONDON, AND CHINA, Singapore, and Copies of

Prospectus and Forms of Application can be

obtained from the Bank's branch in Hongkong.

NOTICE. COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 2nd September, 1887.

Hongkong, 26th August, 1885.

CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their whitens the teeth, prevents decay, and gives a arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

Board of the Hulk "ANTON GUNTHER." near

LAI-CHI-KOH, OD MONDAY. the 26th September, 1687, at Noon, THE FOLLOWING GOODS:-19 Bales GREY SHIRTINGS. T-CLOTH 32 by 24. SPANISH STRIPES 1 Piece LASTINGS.

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WHITE SHIRTINGS.

146 Packets MATCHES. TERMs.—Cash on delivery. A STEAM LAUNCH will leave for the HULK at ELEVEN O'CLOCK. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

Auctionsers. Hongkong, 23rd September, 1887. PUBLIC AUOTION. AAR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received

instructions to Sell by Public Auction, TUESDAY. the 27th September, 1887, at 2.15 of clock P. at the Premises. VALUABLE LEASEHOLE

PROPERTY, at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Comprising: H-that Piece of GROUND-situate in Square Street, Taipingshan, abutting on the and measuring thereon \$5 feet or there-

Northern side thereof on a Public Street, abouts, on the Southern side therewas Inland Lot No. 278 and measuring thereon | from us. 85 feet or thereabouts, on the Eastern side thereof on a Public Street, and measuring thereon 50 feet or thereabouts, and on the Western side thereof on Squara Street and measuring the roon of feet or thereabouts, containing in the whole 4,250 square feet or thereabouts, and registered | UNDER THE AUSTICES OF THE GOVERNOR OF in the Land Office as. Inland Lot No. 277 together with the 6 HOUSES Nos. 11 Square Street, erected thereou.

The Property is demised for the term of 25.15.8, and is sold subject to existing the covenants in the Crown Lease of the GOVERNOR in the Chair. Premises contained.

For Further Particulars and conditions of Sale, apply to WOTTON & DEACON, Solicitors.

Hongkong, J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer,

Hongkong. PUBLIC AUCTION:

THE NORWEGIAN SCREW STEAMER · "ATLAS," Of 761 tons Gross and 567 tons Net Register will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at Due (Saghalien) on the 1st of October, 1887. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co..

Agenta S.S. "Atlas." Hongkong, 13th September, 1887.

INTIMATIONS. ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

A FIFTH DIVIDEND of 6th per Cent. on all CLAIMS against the Hongkong Branch of the Orienzal Raws Community of the Orienzal R No further calls to be made without a notice Branch of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION Physics-Rev. JOHN CHALMERS, M.A., LL.D. of one month, and each call not to exceed \$21 that have been approved by the Court of Chancery will be paid on and after MONDAY NEXT, the 20th August, at the Offices of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK COEPOBATION, LIMITED. Surgery, The 5th Dividend is payable on all Claims on which previous Dividends have been paid. CREDITORS are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator,

admitting their Claims, in order that the payment of the 5th Dividend may, be endorsed Oriental Bank Corporation. 2. Queen's Road.

24th August, 1887. 162 Two Belilios Scholarships, value 60 dollars a-HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of Business contributed during the Half-year ended 30th June, 1887, on or before the 30th instant, on which date the Accounts will be

By Order of the Board of Directors. D. GILLIES, Secretary. Hongkong, 16th September, 1887. OMINION ORGAN & PIANO Co.

Manufacturers of Cabinet, Combination. . Chapel and Pedal ORGANS, and Square and Upright PIANOS: Sole right to use Foley's Automatic PED L COVER, for the .whole Continent of EUROPE; This device absolutely-closes the Organ, render-

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mentioned Premises, where they intend in future to carry on Business. Hongkong, 1st September, 1887.

NOTICE. WE have authorized Mr. A. MACCLY-MONT to SIGN the Name of our MONT to SIGN the Name of our Firm per Procuration from this date. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 1st September, 1887.

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO. GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION-No. 64.

NOTICE. TO SHIP MASTERS, SHIPPING AGENTS, &c.

HEREAS it has been brought to the notice of the GOVERNMENT of BRITISH NORTH BORNEO that Chinese who are desirous of emigrating to British North Borneo find a difficulty in doing so owing to their want of knowledge of the date of departure of ships and

It is hereby made known that a commission of not more than ONE DOLLAR for each able bodied adult Chinaman will be paid to whoseever may chiefly assist in propuring passages for Immigrants to British North Bornen, on printed order from the Captain addressed to the Government Agents in Hongkong who are hereby authorised to pay such orders-

By the Governor's Command, L. B. VON DONOP, Government Secretary. Sandakan, 6th August, 1887. The PRINTED ORDERS referred to in _above Notification can be obtained

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Government Agents. Hongkong, 15th September, 1887. COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE, HONGKONG.

THE COLONY. 13, & 15, Tank Lane, and 52, 54, & 53. Rector-Hon: FRED. STEWART, M.A., LL.D. Dean-Patrick Manson, M.D., LL.D.

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The WINTER SESSION commences on MONDAY, October 3rd, 1887. Students are to Assemble at the ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PROFESSORS, LECTURERS & DEMONSTRATORS.

Ambulance and Datice in the Field-Dep. Officers, Army Medical Staff. · Hongkong, 12th September, 1887. \ 1747 Anatomy-James Cantlie, M. A., M. B.

Botany-CHARLES FORD, F.L.S. Chemistry-W. E. CROW, Esq.* Destal Surgery-HERRERT POATE, D.D.S.; and JOSEPH W. NOBLE, D.D.S. Demonstrator of Anatomy-A. DE C. SCANLAN, A.M.S. M.B.C.S., L.R.C.P. Forensic Medicino: -

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Hygiens and Public Health—HUGH M'CAL-LUM. Esq.* Materia Medica and Therapeutics-D. GER-LACH, M.D. Medicine-Patrick Manson, M.D., LL.D. Obstetrics and Gynecology-WM. Young, M.D.

Physiology-Ho KAI, M.B., M.R.C.S. Surgery, Principles and Practice-JAMES CANTLIE, M.A., M.B., F.R.C.S. Pathological and Special-G. P. JORDAN, M.B., M.R.C.S. Military-Officers, Army Medical * On obtaining permission of the Local

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30.600 annually. Special arrangements have been made with the Principal Medical Officer of the Army Medical Staff to carry on the work of training Chinese for Medical Military Duty. For further information, apply to JAMES CANTLIE,

Secretary to the College. THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED. 4. CLUB CHAMBERS, HONGKONG.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY | FITHE Company's Steamship MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Comfor the purpose of receiving a Report of the THREE P.M. Directors, together with a Statement of Account, and for the election of Directors and

Auditors. A. O'D. GOURDIN, Hongkong, 19th September, 1887.

NOTICE.

HER MOST GRACIOUS MAJESTY'S JUBILEE T having been decided to CELEBRATI HER MAJESTY'S JUBILEE ON WEDNES DAY and THURSDAY, the 9th and 10th November, all Members of the Community are invited to Co-operate with the Jubilee Committee by illuminating their Offices and private

Residences. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Hon. Sec.

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THE HONGKING DISPENSARY. 192 concession in the way of opening up the in-Hongkong, 19th September, 1887

H., SEPTEMBER 24TH, 1-87.

TEE Chinese question is still the "burning question" of the day in Queensland. Although all of the Australian colonies are | Romadal, by the liter. A. G. Goldsmith, Seamore or less hostile to Chinese immigration and nearly all have legislated to restrict it vessel hoisting code pennant C. the feeling against the Sons of Han undoubtedly runs highest in Queensland. This is probably due to the fact that they have resorted in greater numbers to this colony, and their competition with Concasian labour and the retail traders has been more severely felt. Something may be credited also to the strong Rulical element at Brisbane, which is able to make its voice felt very audibly in the Colonial Legislature, and to influence the policy of the Ministry. The Queenslanders are apparently determined that the Chinese shall go, and if they take present date. less violent steps to accomplish this end than the Californians they are not a whit less resolved to rid the country of a race voyage from this port to Singapore. She left which they seem to fegard as intruders and interlopers. As we stated the other days the Anti-Chinese Conference at Brisbane and 22nd she experienced the force of the tymet on the 20th ult, and passed the follow. phoon which visited this port in the form of a gale, and sustained considerable injury on deck. ing resolutions:-"That this Conference suggest to the Government the desirability ried away, as also the companion ladder. T of appointing a commission to inquire into provisions were very much damaged, which neand report upon the condition of the Chinese in the colony, and their effect upon the prosperity and civilisation of the colony; that Sir SAMUEL GRIFFITH he requested to bring under the notice of the Federal Council at steamer Tsi-nan was relieved from quarantine at minute which your Excellency framed reits first meeting the necessity for united action by the Governments of all the Aust at that port; it was also said that the captain had that I should say anything about it. The the condemnation of all classes, the Chinese cases am gigling has been effectually stopped. tralasian colonies, with a view of probibiting that the Conference expresses a strong con- Daywin cargo at Thursday Island, whence it was the community, and they have resolved that, if ances which have been inforce for years. The pub. and accommodating spirit by the Chinese For- Daywin cargo at Thursday Island, whence it was viction that the Chinese are in every respect undesirable as colonists, and that stringent laws should be passed to prevent their tenmigration to Queensland; further, that poll tax of £100, and a residential fax of 210 per annum, be suforced on every Cri nese coming into or residing in the colons. The deputation, we now learn from paperreceived vesterday, waited upon the Premieon the afternoon of the 22nd ultrand mad representations to him to the foregring office: A letter was also hunded to Sir SAMUEL GRIFFITH, conveying the thanks of the Conference for the constatic nomber in which he introped to the Chinese Commissioners the views held by a unit tily of the people of the colons with regard ! Chinese immigration. In reply the Premier said his inpression was that the Chinese Commissioners woold not recommend Australia as a field for Chinese imagigration; but he maintained that there was a treaty in force between Great Britain and Chiba by which the Chi nese could claim their right to land in any Worship among the Chinese," which will be read part of the British dominions. One of the greatest difficulties they had to contend with was the admission of Givinese from other colonies, and this could only be overcome by the colonies acting in unison. He was not prepared to say what was the best course to nursue. The question of imposing a nol tax of £100 and a residential tax of £10 per annua required serious consideration. They could not shut themselves against all the world in that way without full considerstion, especially if the neighbouring colonies would not assist them. The Governmen would take the matter into consideration and endeavour to bring about the exclusion of the Chinese from Australia. He was not ation, what form of legislation should be adopted, but he was disposed to favour a re-

of Australia, for he found the least courtery ness in their reception of the Commissioners. but there was honesty too. The Queens- given their services in his behalf. landers have at least been straightforward in their opposition to the Chinese inflox. They don't even pretend to be tolerant; the succulent cat hage grown by the industrial Celestral is powerless to win them to a more friendly mood; they will be satisfied with nothing short of his exclusion. They object virtues, and his vices assume a more repulsive sistence, believe that this aversion can be and take it from him, for it was never the inten- to be delebrated. I think a handsome status, al- ter that there should be any further opposition tervention of the authorities. It is hoped provements or sustenance of their dwellings; if number of human beings, and take it from him, for it was never the inten- to be delebrated. I think a handsome status, allived down, and if he considers that the tion of the donor that it should remain in the though I am against it myself, may please a to the Bill.

sidential tax more than anything else.

It is of course quite possible, as Sir Sanurl

Queensland colonists may rest satisfied, may have to expend a considerable sum on the my hon friend the Colonial Secretary. The Commissioners were impressed with the fact that there was little wealth among the now propose that the report and statement of so . His Excellency-I am quite sure, hon. gen- the Public Health Ordinance. were one and the Chinese in Australia; they were somewhat counts be passed. disappointed to find that there were no mil-Tosh and carried unanimously. lionaires among them as there are in the S raits Settlements. That the Chinese do make money in Australia is well known; many will be pleased to act as honorary secretary, munity, that it would be perfectly impossible for cut down as to meet all the reasonable objecof them have returned from there with song

raise that tax to £100 and a residential

x . f £10 per annum, is likely to excite op-

ties teally care much to secure the right of

residence there for the imbjects of KWANG?

Sy. But whatever the feelings of the Chi-

nese Government-and we do not believe

outrages on Chinese in the United States-

they are not likely to make it a diplomatic !

question. What is far more likely is that

they will plead the pliberal treatment of

Chirese in the United States and Australia

as a protext for refusing to make any far by

The Director of the Observatory appends the

ollowing note to his meteorological register :-

By kind parmission of Captain White, Di-

vine Service will be held to-morrow morning.

from Pakhoi and Hoibow, reports having passed

In the Supreme Court yesterday, as will be

seen from our report in another column. Mr.

Caldwell o tained permission, on behalf of Mr.

for hearing on Tuesday next, on condition of the

plaintiff's paying all costs incurred up to the

The German steamer Ingraban, which arrived

here yesterday morning, seems to have had some

experience of the recent typhoon whilst on a

here on the 20th in-tant, with a general cargo

and about 500 Chinese passengers. On the 21st

The Chinese cookhouse and storehouse were car-

cessitated her returning to Hongkong to ob-

The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Catterthun

standard, the Japanese trio gave one of the most

desired Signor Chiariniand histroups eft yester-

The September number of the Chinese Record r.

came to band yesterday. The first part of a pa-

per by Dr. Martin, on "the Native Tract Lite-

rature of China," read at the recent anniversary

meeting of the North Ohina Tract Society at

Peking, occupies the place of honour. The Rev.

G. Owen continues his "Notes on "Autoria

with interest by students of folk-lore. This is

followed by an article entitled. "The principle

of self-support and benevolance," by the Kev.

Gilbert Reid, in which he endeavours to show

that the missionary in China should inculcate in

the natives the duty of making their churches

self-supporting by example as well as precept. A

paper on "The Logos in China," by Dr. Edkins.

a sonnet on Confucius, some correspondence, no-

tain a fresh supply.

Hongkong, bound South.

has done in Hongkong.

to S.E. during the 21st and 21nd instant.

they are very profested on the subject, vide

little fortunes amassed in retail trade or on the

tax unless they were sure of getting it back be elected as President, Secretary, and Transurer right worthily Her Majesty's Jubilee. (Applause) would naturally feel the same way. And there- assistance rendered by the Chinese public in the with interest. The proposal, however, to respectively.

son, Leach, and coxon, The CHAIRMAN-I may mention that a telethe apathy shown in connection with the gram was received from Foochow's few days ago stating that a team there is ready to meet

one from Hongkong. Mr. MASTER proposed that, if possible withont interfering with dricket, two or more tennis dinance until Her Majesty's pleasure shall be courts should be marked out in addition to those known was also added. already in use. Owing to the number of tennis players many members had to wait a consider.

ket, be obtained. Mr. STEWART seconded. The CHAIRMAN-I think this is hardly the place to bring forward such a proposition. This meeting was called for the sole purpose of pass-There appears to be another typhoon in the ing the report and accounts. I have not the slightest doubt that the new committee will endeavour to meet in every way the wishes of both

lawn tennis and cricket players. Some discussion then followed as to whether at deven o'ches, on board the British ship the proper time for bringing such a resolut on forward was not at the general meeting, which men's Chaplain The Bethel flag will be hoisted, ended by Mr. Master withdrawing his proposi-

and a steam launch will call alongside of any tion. On the motion of Mr. WILSON a vote of thanks to the Chairman was unanimously carried and As a result of the recent gale, the British the meeting then dispersed. steamer Souchow, which arrived here yesterday

a large quantity of dead pigs floating forty miles | HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

from sinan Head, and some junk wreckage. She berself experienced a strong gale from N.E. Council was held yesterday afternoon. There as representing public interests, and I think

Major General Cameron C.B. Kaw Hong Take, to withdraw from the suit Justice. Kaw Hong Take v. Patterson, which was down

Hon. F. STEWART, Colonial Secretary. Hon. E.J. ACKROYD, Acting Attorney-General Hon. A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer. Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor General. Hon. H. G. THOMSETT, Harbour Master. Hon. P. Ryrie. Hon. Wone Shine.

Hon. J. Bell. Inving.

Hon. C. P. CHATER. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN. Mr. J. M. GUTIEREEZ, Acting Clerk of Coun-

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

THE JURILEE CELEBRATION. The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved, in accord ance with notice, that the Council vote the sun of \$25,000 towards the celebration and commemoration of Her Majesty's Jubilee. In doing so he said-Your Excellency and hon, gentlemen. which arrived here yesterday from Australian rise to propose the motion which stands in my ports, reports that the China Navigution Co.'s name on the orders of the day. After the

p x having broken out, but landed all Port vote is asked has been for many months before and of the others many are embodied in Ordin articles of commerce have been met in a friendly to the Chinese, o rried on by the Catterthun. When the Catter- rather late, the colebration here shall not be less lie asked by a very largely signed potition that cign Collectorate, and my despatches on the sub- At the end of August, we had a balance of near- neighbouring lotholders so as to give them an hearty than it has been elsewhere. For this ob- the Bill should be postponed for some months. A jent, which are, confidentially, open to the perusal ly \$600,000; upwards of half a million of dollars opportunity of objecting, if they considered their On the 18th inst., the Catterthun spoke Ameri- ject the community have subscribed very liberal deputation waited on your Excellency and the of honourable members, will, I trust, have pro- (8521,147) here and upwards of \$90,000 (892,307). can ship Wachusett, from Basilan strait, from Iy, and it is only natural that they should look result of their interview was by no means satisto this Conneil to assist them, and ask the factory. A very large section of the community Community. Council to open the strings of the public of Hongkong hope the Bill may not receive Her Chiarini's Circus gave a farewell performance parse and give a portion of the public revenue thejesty's sanction. on Thursday evening to a crowded house. Signor towards a public purpose. And it is a public The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL Sir, I had instrumental in bringing about so happy a set-Chiarini in his advertisement expressed his in- purpose; for, apart altogether from Her Ma. hoped I would not be called upon to ake thement of this difficult and embarassing Opium tention of leaving a favourable impression on jesty's domestic virtues and personal worth, the any remarks on the third reading of this Bill, question, have been fully recognized by Her Mamanner in which she has disch weed all the but in consequence of the amendment which has justy's Government and the Government of daties of her high office has won for her the just been proposed I would like to state shortly Horakong, and he well deserves the thanks of the Hongkong public, and in this he has fully suchighest admiration from us. (Appleuse). It is why we persist in this third reading and why I the whole community whose interests he has so ceeded. The programme, which was both a long not very often we are permitted to see what takes have reason to be surprised at this amendment well impresented.

Place within the precincts of the royal palaces in having been made. It is that towards the Mr. Seth has be one and a strong one, was satisfactorily carried out. The riders of both sexes were up to their usual high connection with public matters, but by memoirs | end of the month of June a large deputation and biographies we do occasionally get a glimpse, waited on your Excellency asking time to con- him is largely due the successful working of the the year we expended \$988,337. marvellous exhibitions they have produced during clowns, with whom it has been our duty to find and everything that has come before the public sider this rill. The Bill as it was then before shows that Her Majesty devotes the greatest the public and the Bill as it was read a second attention to the performance of her official duties, time and as we propose to read it a third time passed this Session and which call for remarks had expended \$496,385. fault on several occasions, were all that could be (Applause). The pemp and circumstance which to-day are very different measures, and I do not a esurround the Throne have had very little think that anybody who professes to wish to im. 1 .- Legislative Council witnesses, and the were the new launch Victoria, \$12,0.0, and the missioners of Lands are adopted, ample opday afternoon by the Honom for Masso, where wa! attraction for Her Majesty, and she has always prove the sanitary condition of Hongkong can Commissioners Powers Ordinances. These are Hunghom Market \$6,000. trust he will meet with as hearty support as he shown that her principal care has been for the have the slightest objection to the Bill in its pre- important additions to our Statute Book, as they The amount provided for Defence Works was for any purposes to make their wants known to welfare of her people. It is well known that on sent form. I know very well that Sanita y Bills chable the Legislative Council to compel the at | \$696,000, of which \$496,083 have been expended. | the Government, and the Crown Land Board, if which must have been serious and which might to which they would subject the population. instituting and conducting any inquiry which afterwards increased to £116,000, leaving us short sum which has been asked for this purpose, and always like what is good for us, and therefore the 2.—The Law concerning Joint Stock Com- and it is hoped may be so in the future. will heartily endorse what we do. (Applause). legislation. They think it is unnecessary amended and improved by the introduction into to thank you before we separate for your valu-It gives me, therefore, much pleasure to pro- and vexations, and I am not astonished at this Colony of the provisions of certain Imperial able assistance in the legislative business brought been properly compensated, or even compensated

Jubilee. (Applause.)

ticas of new books, and editorial notes and mission news complete the contents of a fairly interesting issue... A concert for the benefit of Mr. Plantagenet Littlewood given by several Horgkong ama elastic condition that they can stand the abanden sary, merely because they thought they were teurs took place in the St. Andrew's Hell last ment of such a large sum as \$25,000. I may say in unpopular. Perhapsit would be more congenial, night. Mr. Littlewood, who was down for this connection that we have for some time been if we consulted our personal interest, if we several recitations, gave "Queen Mab" from inclined to take a rather pessimistic view of our did not make any fuse about these things and "Romeo and Juliet," but was unable o complete resources, but I hope now that we shall proceed allowed this Bill to pass or not just as the uncommunicate with the other colonies, and his share of the programme owing to indisposition. to take rather an optimistic one, and that vari- official members thought right and did not take Mr. Fraser-Smith, however, kindly stepped into one improvements, such as the filling up of the any trouble. That, however, would be taking a the breach and gave a spirited rendering of "The Happy Valley, which was proposed some years very wrong view of our duties; and although charge of the Light Brigade." Miss Stopani ago, as well as others, may be proceeded with we can have no personal interest in the matter, prepared to sar, without further consider. was very successful in Pinsuti's "Charity" without delay. These works would be an im- we believed it was necessary to pass this Bill, and "Owert thou in the cauld blast." The last named | myself any reason, when we can vote a sum like | cur whatever unpopularity may for the present be | an extent these unlawful Societies existed here; on the table of the Legislative Council yesterday | have been performed to the satisfaction of the lady gained a hearty recall in "Scenes that this, why lack of funds should keep us from ad- connected with it. As I say, no one who has any and the power which they were enabled to exer- afternoon. It is dated 14th April, 1887, and is Surveyor General. It is dated 14th April, 1887, and is Surveyor General. It is dated 14th April, 1887, and is Surveyor General. are brightest." Miss Withers, whose name was vancing. The other reason why I second with pleas wish to improve the sanitary condition of Hong cise,—a power which they used not only for their signed by the Chief Justice, Sir George Phillippo, that this provision has caused unnecessary innot in the programme, also volunteered and suc- sure the motion of my hon. friend is that in pass- kong can new object to this Bill. For what is it personal benefit, but often to the prejudice of Chairman; Hon. E. J. Ackroyd, Acting Attorney- convenience to the purchasers, who, in many caeded in obtaining an encore, when she substiting an encore, when she substitute of the Colony by the help which they extended to General; Hon. J. M. Price, Hon. A. P. Mac- cases, have to borrow money in order to complete missioners will not recommend Queenshald Gower and Mr. R. Withers were also fairly front as regards liberality, and to give a lesser sought to make that as liberal as possible and 5.—Closely allied to these three Ordinances is from the nature of the subject dealt with, the until the Lesse has been issued, no duplicate as a favourable field for Chinese suigration. Successful. One of the greatest successos of the sum than this would look as if we were inclined have given the Board, as regards unisances and that of No. 16 of 1887, empowering the Courts report is of great length. The earlier pages contract for sale being handed to the purchaser, and that of No. 16 of 1887, empowering the Courts report is of great length. The earlier pages contract for sale being handed to the purchaser, and that of No. 16 of 1887, empowering the Courts report is of great length. The earlier pages contract for sale being handed to the purchaser, and that of No. 16 of 1887, empowering the Courts report is of great length. 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The second part deals with the drains, effectual deterrent and will therefore not be of into which titles have drifted. justice to this favourite air. In response to a hearty Majesty should be erected. I, as well as several and against that no one can have the least ten put into force. recall he gave with good effect the well known other gentlemen in the Colony, have a different objection. The third part is only to be put in force 6.—The Cattle Diseases, Slaughter House, and for the confusion which has been pointed out is and friendly feeling in that colony, and the "Speed on my bark." Matter's "Song of Love's way of looking at the matter. We desired that if there is an epidemic. That I hope will never have Markets Ordinance (No. 17 of 1887) is a useful to permit the assignee of each separate house to people did their best during his stay to let him. Sontinel" was well rendered by Government to be done, and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and to grant ginal Lease, for a limited period, and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and to grant ginal Lease, for a limited period, and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and to grant ginal Lease, for a limited period, and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and to grant ginal Lease, for a limited period, and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and to grant ginal Lease, for a limited period, and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of surrender his section or sections and the extraordinary powers which and practical piece of legislation, the object of legislation are practically and practical pieces of legislation are practically and practical pieces of legislation are practically and practical pieces of legislation are practically and practically are practically and practically are practically are practically and practically are prac also sang a duet with Mrs. Fraser-Smith. should be devoted to some charitable insti- are therein given are only those absolutely re- which is to secure the Colony from the intro- him a new Crown Lease with a separate rent to to the purchaser of a duplicate of his contract; but know that his countrymen were unwelcome Prior to his leaving the hall Mr. Littlewood made tution. There is a great want of them in quisite if such a sad event should happen. The there. There was something of brutal frank. a short speech in which in a few well-chosen this Colony, and I can only hope the fourth part relates to buildings on land excavated eases, the better regulation of our slaughter to the Crown. No difficulty can arise with regard during which the temporary registration should words he thanked the audience for their atten. Committee will keep this in view. I don't out of the hillside; and as far as I remember houses, and the cleanliness and good order of to the collection of the Crown Rect, because be allowed, as otherwise some purchasers would dance and the ladies and gentlemen who had wish them to be extra-economical, but I think these articles as amended were passed without our markets.

THE HONGKONG CRICKET OLUB.

afternoon in the Bavilion. Mr. Coxon, Mr. Darby took the chair.

the Queensland Premier may yet prove to be almost upprecedented in the annals of the Club. send them home for that purpose. Well, Mr. my hom friend put in two, and there were only to the fact to the Government of the Government mistaken. While recognising that his Mr. F. T. Commission of the Leavest and t Mr. E. J. Coxon is at present in possession of tude that such a thing could be entertained, and When all these facts are taken into considerable distance; to remedy which the the Barracks, endangering the health of the countrymen are not liked in Queensland the cup presented by Mr. Atwell Coxon, and the consequently these scholarships have been appearance of changes which this the Registrar-General, the most of whom, if not term was extended for a further period of 924 Troops, and angested a Colonial Ordinance countrymen are not liked in Queensland the cup presented by Mr. Atwell Coxon, and the consequently these scholarships have been appearance; we rement whom, if not term was extended for a further period of 924 Troops, and angested a Colonial Ordinance countrymen are not liked in Queensland the cup presented by Mr. Atwell Coxon, and the consequently these scholarships have been appearance; we rement whom, if not term was extended for a further period of 924 Troops, and suggested a Colonial Ordinance countrymen are not liked in Queensland the cup presented by Mr. Atwell Coxon, and the consequently these scholarships have been appearance; we rement whom, if not term was extended for a further period of 924 Troops, and suggested a Colonial Ordinance countrymen are not liked in Queensland the consequently these scholarships have been appearance; we rement whom, if not term was extended for a further period of 924 Troops, and suggested a Colonial Ordinance countrymen are not liked in Queensland the consequently these scholarships have been appearance. General Wand may, with national per- wins it this year it becomes his own. I hope, plied in other directions. Returning to the Bill has undergone, I think it will surprise all all, would have been brought up to a life of shame years. The lots become unmarketable, tenants should be passed limiting the inhabitants of a I am sure, to see some member come forward manner in which the Jubilee of Her Majesty is those who have taken any interest in the mat- and immorality had it not been for the in- will do nothing towards repairs, or in the im- house to what Health Officers consider a fitting

turf, and from the present aspect of the turf | The motion was then put and carried unanisome such sum may shortly be required. I shall mously.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. MACKIN- ings come to her notice, will be very much grati- ment, after seeing all these objections and refied at the liberal and handsome manner in which ceiving the draft Bill, telegraphed a general information regarding them, and leave me but in value the landlord should be entitled to the The CHAIRMAN-The next business is to this Colony has come forward to celebrate her approval of this Bill; and I do not think, elect Officers for the ensuing year and also to ap. Jubilee. Be many loyal speeches have been made therefore, that it is likely that that decision will capacity for work, and devotion to the public the tenant. point a Committee. Mr. Travers, I have nodoubt, from right and left, from every part of the com- be reversed, especially when this Bill has been so service evinced by the heads of departments and which post Mr. Coxon has kindly filled during me to add to those expressions. All I can say is tions as far as possible. But do not let anybody equalled, certainly not surpassed, in any colony. Mr. LEACH—Unless any gentleman has any Her Majesty has no more loyal and loving sub- went Home and received the cordial approbation adopted as opportunity offers, and considering not only the unearned increment, but the whole that they would not go there and pav a poll- new names to bring forward. I propose that jects than she has in this Colony of Hongkong and confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the great difficulties the Police labour under the value of the improvements effected by the the Chairman and Messra. Travers and Peter or a people who are more determined to colebrate much rather, and I think all my colleagues facilities offenders have of escape and the little tenants.

A STREET IMPROVEMENT. Mr. MASTER seconded, and the resolution was The Colonial Secretary laid on the table the report of the proceedings of the Finance The CHAIRMAN-We have now to elect a Committee at a meeting held on the 19th Sepposition at Peking if the Chinese Authori- Committee, There are six members on the Com- tember, and moved that the sum of \$1,500, remittee, of which Mr. Travers is a member ex commended by the Committee, be voted for the officio, so that there are five members to be elected. purchase of a small corner of Inland lot 24 The votes of members were then taken with in Queen's Road West, immediately below the the result that the following five gentlemen were hill whereon stands the Civil Hospital. elected :- Col. Anderson, Mossrs. Graham, Wil. The Colonial TREASURER seconded.

> THE PUBLIC HEALTH BILL. This Bill, which was on the order for third reading, was recommitted, in order that certain verbal a terations might be made. A clause suspending the operation of the Or-

The ACTING ATTORNET-GENERAL, in moving Hon, C. P. Chater the clause, said no decision had been arrived at Hon. J. Bell-Irving able time before being able to get a sett. He as to when the Ordinance should come into Hon. Wong Shing therefore proposed that at least two fresh courts operation, but it was the wish of the unofficial Hon. P. Byric e marked out and the necessary netting, to pre members that there should be such a clause, alof the Central Kingdom to forcing vent interference with those practising at crip though the Government had received no reason why the Ordinance should be suspended. He majority of one: believed, however, he was right in stating that His Excellency was ready to yield to the wish of lost. And now the question before the Council the mofficial members.

The Bill having been reported with the above amendments the ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL

moved that it be read a third time. The SURVEYOR-GENERAL seconded. Hon. A. P. MACEWER-Sir, I beg to move as an amendment that this Bill be not read a opinion that it was unnecessary to put the orithird time. I may say I congratulate the Go. ginal motion. vernment on the introduction of the suspending clause, an amendment notice of which I sent in to the Government to-day. The Acting Attorney-General has said that although the time was therefore not put, nor was the Bill read Government gave way no reason had been a third time by the clerk, a fact which seemed brenght forward why they should do so. I would, to escape notice. only say this is one of the most important Bills introduced into this colony for many the Bill do pass. years past and it affects more or less all interests. We have had various differences of would like to record their votes against the pass-A meeting of the Hongkong Legislative opinion between the official and unofficial members ing of the Bill. is only reasonable the Secretary of State should. Then take the votes. His EXCELLENCY THE ACTING GOVERNOR, have the protest and reasons of the unofficial Members of Council before him before this Bill dasions protested against the clauses passed against us by the official vote and I would as a at the time, voting "no" instead of "aye," but matter of reference state what those clanges were. Section 3 subsection 2 was passed by a majority of three, an unofficial member voting with the government. Section 3 subsection 1 was passed by a Government majority of two. Honourable gentlemen of the Legislative Coun-On that occasion I was absent, otherwise I would | cil, the time has now arrived for closing this sestion 4 Mr. Chater's amandment was lost by a ma- Excellency the Governor, Sir G. W. Das Vonx. sion question jority of one and the Government's amendment | when the Council is to reassemble. was carried. Sections 5, 6, and subsection 4 of 13 were all passed by a Government majority of prolonged for the purpose of disposing, of that one. Section 13 subsection 6 was passed by a vexed and long-pending question the "Public majority of three, an unofficial member voting | Health Ordinance," and it is hoped you will be with the Government. Section 36 paragraph 2 well repaid for your labours, when, in the course same way. But the most important sections, 76, &c , discussed at the last meeting were passed | recognised by the public. by a Government majority of one. I think, sir,

ly sure this Council will not hesitate to vote the the efficacy of the measures proposed. We do not ments, and punishing for contempt. pose that this Council do now vote the sum of Billbeing unpopular. But I do not see why we Statutes. twenty-five thousand dollars towards the ce should not go on with it if we think it necessary. lebration and commemoration of Hor Majesty's About the necessity of improving the sanitary condition of Hongkong I think there can be no Hon. P. Ryre-I rise, sir, to second the two opinions, and I think that those who are Imperial Act respecting Newspapers and Libels. motion which my hon, friend the Colonial Secre- responsible for the public health of the colony tary has proposed, and I do so with satisfaction | would have a great responsibility resting upon on two grounds. The first is that it is pleasing to them if they refrained from introducing measee that the revenues of the Colony are in such an sures which they thought were absolutely neces-

that so large a sum as \$15,000 for illuminations any amendment being proposed by any unofficial 7.—The Ordinances relating to the and jollification, as the term is, might be member. Libelieve I am right in saying that as

perhaps curtailed somewhat and that some amended and finally incorporated in the Bill they thing might be spared to give, for instance, a received the assent of all the members of this help to the Alice Memorial Hospital. This is an Council. The only part to which there can be have been amended and consolidated by several We make the following extracts from the The annual meeting of the members of the institution—and I think everybody will agree any objection is part 5, which relates to over- Ordinances passed this session. Colony-even now, and as it progresses, and with is not great. The Government stated that 300 and the preparation of the revised edition of the desirable in the interests of the Colony that all the attention of the Land Committee sitting at Hongkong Cricket Club was held yesterday with me-which is of immense advantage to the crowding. Now the difference which divides us On the motion of Mr. Leach, seconded by a Medical School in connection with it, we shall feet was the minimum. A proposal was made Ordinances has been furthered by the passing the land granted upon lease (except for agri- that time to the remarkable hoarding together

colony affords a good field for Chinese family. As regards funds, we have a very nice great many people here and will no doubt be an . His Excellence I have very little to say, at first was viewed with a certain amount of term that is as much as they would be. No one balance in the Bank, but not a bigger balance ornament to the colony, but I should like, for All that I have to say has been said over and apprehension on the part of the Chinese, has bas bought land on a 75 years Lease only, with than is necessary to maintain a Club of this des. my own part, to see the money spent otherwise. over again, and I do not wish to take up your been worked, has removed all those fears and the idea that the Crown would enforce its right mend it. But on this score we think the cription in a proper manner. At any time we With these words I beg to second the motion of time unnecessarily. Most of these objections proved to the Chinese residents that the only of re-entry at the end of 75 years and turn them have been already represented to the home object which the Government had in passing it out. Nor does it appear why there should be Government by my predecessor and by myself was to put a stop to a shameful traffic and to any distinction on one side of the harbour to the when the two Bills, the Building Ordinance and protect those who could not protect themselves. other; or on lands in the town or in the country. tlemen, that Her Majesty, when these proceed- same amalgamated, and Her Majesty's Govern-

> suspending clause, I for one am very glad. All the principles of sanitation are so thoroughly understood all over the would that we cannot gauge, which it is desired to encourage on the enlighten them at home, or give them any information, or succeed in showing that Hongkong is quite an exceptional place, different from any other part of the world. And so, gentlemen, let it be. It is far better than for me to recapitulate what has been said over and over again. Let the Bill go home now and be

thoroughly considered by Her Majesty's Government before it comes into operation. The ameridment that the Bill be not read a third time was then put, and a division taken

which resulted as follows:--The Harbour Master Hon. A. P. MacEwen The Surveyor-General The Colonial Treasurer The Acting Attorney-General The Colonial Secretary The Acting Chief Justice

was consequently lost by His EXCELLENCY-Then the amendment is is the original motion, that this Bill be read to third time.

The Acring Attorney-General said that the amendment having been lost the original motion was carried. "The COLONIAL SECRETARY slee expressed the

His Excellency-Very well, the original motion is carried. The greation that the Bill be read a third

His Excellency then put the question that Hon. P. RYRIE-The unofficial members

His Excellency—That was what I proposed A division was then taken which resulted as before, and the Bill was carried by a majority of Hon. /J. Russell, C.M.G., Acting Chief peases. I and my colleagues, have on several oc- one. Some amusement was caused by the Surveyor-General, who was engaged in conversation

> the ion, gentleman corrected the mistake. CLOSE OF THE BESSION.—THE GOVERNOR'S His Excellency read the following speech:-

The Session of 1886-1887 has been unusually

was also passed by a majority of three in the of time, the benefits conferred by this Bill have practically manifested themselves and been duly The Opium Ordinance, as far as can be seen, that that is sufficient reason why the unofficial is fully realizing the anticipations of Govern members should vote against the third reading ment in improving our friendly relations with

second the amendment of my hon, friend. The worked locally without, I believe, any friction or Cambridge Syndicate have had a powerful effect Bill itself is one of the most unpopular Bills ever inconveniences to our own people, and the Chi- in infusing a spirit of healthy emulation into the opinion of the Commissioners be retained, and orew having been kept at the Quarantine Grounds | sideration of the Council it is hardly necessary laid on the table of the Council. It has received nese Commissioner of Customs informs me that our schools; and the most received nese Commissioner of Customs informs me that our schools; and the most received nese Council. It has received nese Commissioner of Customs informs me that our schools; and the most received nese Council. It has received nese Council it is hardly necessary laid on the table of the Council. It has received nese Council it is hardly necessary laid on the table of the Council it is hardly necessary laid on the table of table necessary laid on the table of table necessary laid on the table of table necessary laid on tabl been taken sick. The Tannadice did not call into motion speaks for itself; it needs no recome pecially, whom it will affect very materially. Complaints on the part of the merchants re-Port. Darwin on her way south owing to small. | mendation from me. The object for which this Many of its clauses are inquisitorial to a degree garding increased duties imposed on certain of Hongkong, and prove of incalculable benefit time to time to alter such boundaries with the

> The invaluable services of His Honour Act- the Loan. ing Chief Justice Russell, who has been chiefly

Mr. Seth has been most indefatigable and able

has been further promoted by the passingand possession of arms.

to take steps for the suppression of the Tried and other unlawful flocieties, and iii.-Of an Ordinance for the more effectual prevention of crime by placing under police

supervision all criminals who are liberated from gool before expiry of their sentence. The necessity of the second mentioned Ordinance was strongly urged on the Government by a Commission which was appointed to enquire into Secret Societies, and which proved to what

1.—Post Office. 2.—Police Force, 3.—Juries and Licenses

have made a great step in advance. I recollect that we should make it 250, but that was re- of these Ordinances and by the Statute Law Re- cultural or pastoral purposes, or for garden lots), of the Chinese. The Chairman said—Gentlemen, you have, some years ago, when Mr. Belillos first intro- fused and the amendment was rejected. I have vision Ordinance No. 4 of 1887, which finally should be granted upon the same tenure. Before And this has gone on increasing to the present of th to his cheap latiour, to his frugality, to his had the report for some time, and therefore I duced his medical scholarships, we were told not been able to follow my hon, friend in his repeals and removes from our Statute Book no very long it will be necessary that something day. patient industry. They have no eye for his think there is only necessity for me to make by the medical men here that it would be imvery brief remarks. As you will see from the possible to educate Chinese in the Colony so quoted from the old Bill; but if my memory 9.—The protection of adopted daughters and years. The same difficulties will soon arise in attention of the Government to the evils of report, the Clus has had a most victorious seeson, that they would be able to pass for any degree serves me right the amendments the unofficial young girls has been furthered by the passing dealing with them as arose with the 75 years overcrowding.

The Annual Reports from the several Govern- It may be urged that parties should be kept to ment Departments for the year 1886 have already the strick performance of their engagements placed the public in possession of the necessary with the Crown, and that where land has risen little to say excepting to testify to the zeal, energy, unearned increment, at least proportionably with

fore, as regards my hon, friend the Attorney. detection of crime or apprehension of criminals, General's amendment, that we should have this I think we may be well satisfied that good order drive a hard bargain at the expense of an inis on the whole so well preserved.

A better acquaintance with the Chinese lanpart of the English Contingent, would much conduce to efficiency.

The improvement in the discipline and management of the Gael has been well maintained and acts as a wholesome deterrent to crime. The large increase in the total tonnage of shipping entering this port, as shown in the Harbour Master's report, speaks well for the growing prosperity of the Colony, which is still further evidenced by the steadily increasing popu. extension of the Town Lots from 75 to 999 years lation and extensive building and reclamation would apply equally to the extension of the Leaoperations either in progress or being planned. There is apparently every sign that this prosperity, in which we are happy to see our Chinese substantial and lasting character, and that the should not be repealed, so that the old Titles may Colony has a great future before it.

as satisfactory progress has been made as could system. be expected under the difficulties of the rainy | The Commissioners, however, have already Among the more important undertakings

the year may be mentioned the extension on improved sanitary principles of the main sewers of the town. Another instalment of nearly two miles of these new main drains has been added to those previously existing since my predecessor last addressed you.

advanced, and it is anticipated that the new Ordinance might be passed with similar provibuilding will be ready for occupation during the sions respecting the valuation of such lands as earlier portion of next year. Unforeseen legal difficulties in clearing the sad for the valuation of lands required for the

Central Market of its tenants have led to some delay in the commencement of the new Public Market, but these difficulties having now been surmounted, arrangements have been made to opinion that it is very desirable many of the cally come to a close.

I have this day received the Secretary of required under special circumstances. State's permission, which I asked him to teleon land tenure submitted to Government by the used in all ordinary transactions. Crown Lands Commission, which, as will be seen, has spared no pains in furnishing all the naces- Report specimens of the various grants and sary information, and whose valuable sugges- licences issued by the Government or Governtions will receive the most attentive considera- | ment Officers.

Further representations have been made to the home Government on the necessity of some probably have voted with my colleagues. On sec- sion, and it will be for the consideration of His decision being arrived at on the Praya Exten- are executed, and also for their production and

With regard to the defences of the Colony, detailed statement was made by me as recently as the 29th April, 1887, since which progress has been as satisfactory as the rains have permitted forthcoming, some legislation is desirable. When the guns arrive, the forts under construction can be finished in a very short time." The construction of a breakwater on Kellett's Ordinance, that copies of all original documents bank, which is recognized on all sides as essential for the defence of the Western entrance of the Office. harbour, is now under consideration, and is only

question of money. It is gratifying to find that the important Hon. P. RYRIE—Your Excellency, I rise to the honest trader. The Ordinance has been gress. The examinations now conducted by the thority hereafter appointed. Medical College for Chinese, is, I trust, destined ance, and power might be given to the Crown

these £15,000 being the unexpended balance of

The Revenue for the year was estimated \$1,291,270, and during the eight mouths ending August last the receipts amounted to \$977.402. The premiums on laud sales were estimated at \$45,000, and during the first eight months of the year we received no less than \$81,717. Of the Loan of £200,000, £15,000 remain un-

The Estimated Ordinary Expenditure was his management of the Opium Office, and to 31,245,434, and during the first eight months of

The Extraordinary Expenditure was estim-The only exceptional increases on expenditure

several occasions during her long reign she has, are always very unpopular, and in England there tendance of witnesses and to examine them on It must be remembered that when the loan of constituted, will be in a position to make any by her tact, her good sense, her long experience, has always been a great outery against them and cath, whilst the "Commissioners Powers Ordin- 2200,000 was voted the home Government had suggestions that they think advisable in each and her kindness of heart averted difficulties a great deal said about the loss and annoyance anne authorizes the Governor for the purpose of only asked for £56,000 for the Fortifications, particular case as it may arise. have been disastrons. (Applause). As the head But the reason for that was that the public may be necessary, to appoint Commissioners who by £60,000 of the sam required for other public squatters are living upon the ground sold, and of the constitution to which we owe so much, it were not fully alive to the necessity of sani will have all the powers of the Supreme Court works—yet additional loans and rates have been one of the conditions of sale in such cases has is only proper that we should give Her Majesty tary regulations. They did not fully realise the for the purpose of enforcing the attendance of dispensed with, and the opponents of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties and the opponents of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties are the standard of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should compensate the parties of the Spirit been that the purchaser should be parties of the Spirit been than the parties of

> amended by introducing the provisions of the may have sometimes arisen, on public questions. I have also to thank you for the supplies so 4.—The cause of order and peace in the Colony liberally voted for the Public service, and for the sum you have this day allowed to be aplie subscription to the Jubiles Fund and enable ii.-Of an Ordinance enabling Government the loyal people of the Colony to worthily celebrate the 50th anniversary of their beloved Sc-

vereign's accession to the throng. I now declare the Session to be closed. (Ap-

THE LAND COMMISSION'S REPORT.

"The Commissioners think the only remedy

each house is of very much greater annual value | probably neglect to take out their Leases at all. than the Rent."

constitution of a Crown Land Board and the closed. appointment of a sufficient staff. succeeding portion of the report:-

In modern days it has been stronuously urged that the landlord, even if a private individual, has no right to this uncorned increment. In case his absence, and Mr. Peter will undertake the that II shall endeavour to the best of my ability suppose that we wanted this Bill to come into -and I have already done so—to represent that immediate operation. I would much rather it sion have mostly been adopted or are being Crown will, at the expiration of 75 years, take

> not like some private persons selfishly seeking to interests of the whole community.

> The Crown, as the Commissioners have endeavoured to point out in another part of this Report, has the entire monopoly of all ungranted land, and in the case of the settlers at Kowloon, and on the Hills, purchasers were, and are, compelled either to accept the terms that are offered by the Crown, or to go without the land.

The Commissioners feel sure that the same reasons which decided Earl Grey to sanction the ses of all other lots from 75 to 999 years.

A new Registration Ordinance is required under which all new Titles should be registered, fellow-citizens so largely participating, is of a but the Registration Ordinance, 3 of 1844, still be kept under that Ordinance until they In respect of Public Works and Improvements, are all got rid of and absorbed under the new

> suggested that some amendments to that Ordinance might be at once made so as to facilitate

the bringing of Land under the new system. Great objection has been taken to the provision in the Leases for the resumption of Land for public purposes at a valuation to be made solely by the Surveyor-Gaueral, and the Commissioners think that in any new Leases to be The new Victoria College works are now well issued this provision might be omitted, and an were prescribed in the Ordinance recently pas-

purpose of constructing Tramways. With regard to the form of Crown Lesse to be hereafter issued the Commissioners are of begin the new market buildings early next covenants and provisions should be omitted, as month, when the rainy sesson will have practi- unnecessary, and other covenants might be replaced by the provisions of an Ordinance.

The tunnel under the Tytam mountain range | A form of lease might be prepared for the being now open throughout, the extension of new leases to be issued, leaving it to the authority the public water supply is rapidly approaching | who shall have the control of these matters to decide as to whether any special covenants are

A short form of assignment, and of mortgage to lay on the table the important report | might also be adopted which might be extensively The Commissioners have attached to this their

The Commissioners recommend that provisions should be made for the registration of all Powers of Attorney under which deeds relating to land keeping copies in the Land Office, and for examined, or office copies, to be accepted in evidence; and that with respect to present Titles, which are affected by Powers of Attorney not being

The Commissioners are also strongly of opinion it is desirable, under the new Registration affecting Title should be recorded in the Land

With regard to the protection of boundaries, and the fixing of Boundary Marks or Stones, the Commissioners think that this question can China, whilst in no way injuring the interests of work of education continues to make steady pro- be left to the Crown Land Board, or other Au-

The restriction of Chinese Houses should in

With regard to the assessment of rates and taxes, if the Crown Land Board is appointed the Commissioners consider that such Board should constitute the authority to which the rate-payers could appeal in the first instance, and this would not be to them so grave a thing as to appear in Court. The rate-payer simply go before the Board himself and state his reasons for consid-

ering that he was rated too high. As to the preparation of the valuations and Rate Books, the Commissioners are of opinion that this could most properly be done in the Grown Land Office and under the authority of

the Crown Land Board. With reference to encouraging applications Among other Ordinances which have been ated at \$760,000, and up till the 31st August we for the disposal of land outside Victoria the Commissioners think that, if their suggestions as to a Crown Land Board and District Deputy Com-

It sometimes happens when lands are sold that every recognition to our power, and I am perfect dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, compelling the production of the december dangers of imanitary conditions or believe in witnesses, and the december dangers of imanitary conditions of the december dangers of imanitary conditions of the december dangers of imanitary conditions of the december dangers of the december dan from existing sources, have so far been justified, before the Lease is issued. Cases have happened where this condition has prevented the delivery I am equally sure that the public in general people have not seen the necessity for sanitary panies has by Ordinance No. 30 of 1886 been In conclusion, honourable gentlemen, I wish of the Lease to the purchaser, owing to his being before you, and your unvarying courtesy and at all, as the terms of compensation were not re-3.—The Law of Defamation and Libel has by friendly feeling on all occasions and under all duced to writing, and the squatters have removed Ordinance No. 5 of 1987 been modified and oircumstances, whatever differences of opinion to places where they cannot be found. This is an undoubted inconvenience to the purchaser which inconvenience would not arise if the squatters were first dealt with by Government and the land sold free of temporary occupants; but 1.—Of an Ordinance regulating the carriage propriated to supplement the very handsome pub. if the recommendation of the Commissioners with regard to temporary occupants are adopted this inconvenience would scarcely arise in future. The conditions of sale generally issued by the Government state that the purchaser shall accept a Crown Lease in the usual from and execute a counterpart when called upon, and the Lease

would thereupon issue. In a great many cases, however, the building covenant was disregarded and lands which ought to have been built upon have remained unproductive. This led to the necessity of stopping the grant of the Lesse The report of the Land Commission was laid until the building stipulations in the contract think would be sufficiently obviated by the registration of the contract, and all dealings under it, in the Land Office in the same manner as the ori-

When the Lease is taken out the Register in The report then goes on to recommend the respect of each particular piece of land should be OVERCROWDING IN VICTORIA, ITS CAUSES AND METHODS OF ALLEVIATION.

With regard to overcrowding, it appears that 8.—The work of the Law Revision Committee | The Commissioners are of opinion that it is so long ago as the year 1849 Mr. Duddell called

In 1880 the Military Authorities complained

that the manner in which this Ordinance, which they were habitable towards the expiration of the In the same year the Earl of Kimberley,

(Despatch 26th November, 1884), complained to The Supreme Court House and Offices in conse-Governor Hennessy that little appeared to have quence of the great value of the site Sould be re- | them to Penang, whither I myself was going. been done since the date of the Colonial Surgeon, moved, without any expense, if a suitable site Dr. Ayres' reports to improve the sanitary con- could be obtained elsewhere. added to the evil of overcrowding

the sanitary measures proposed by the newly and free communication with the water. constituted Sanitary Board are adopted, large numbers of people will be rendered homeless. and even now, notwithstanding the cold season it is considered that the value of the ground girls were forcibly removed from the said has not yet come to an end, it is alleged people would be very much less than the cost of the new steamer by one Ma Num, said to be a detective are already obligad to sleep in the streets. rents charged for European dwelling houses would be wanted for Government purposes. being at least three times as much as the rents | But if the Goal were removed, whatever buildobtained in any close suburb of London, with- jugs are removed to its site would be removed from

will be a question for a Crown Land Board, on and rates to be obtained have not been a reduced Crown Ront or otherwise.

terms that the Government may demand, or expense of a house on the higher levels. purchase land already sold by Government. These reasons, apart from any other questions, and in the hands of private persons, (much make it advisable for the Gaol to be removed leased from such detention and imprisonment of which is in the hands of persons who have from the centre of the Town. bought for investment), or go without.

The sale of land by Government has no effect provision would have to be made for prisoners of private parties increase in value an additional | to trial, at the Supreme Court, Government.

proportion do rates, and the result of all these and if the public buildings to which they have combined causes is that houses for respectable referred are also removed there will be sufficient European families are difficult to obtain; rents available space to be filled up for some time to are constantly being forced up higher, and the joome. Commissioners are informed that a large number | If this is, however, impracticable, the Comof the poorer classes of the European community missioners think that some relief may be are compelled, to their great detriment, owing obtained by having free communication by European house, to live in Chinese houses. The best means to adopt for the checking of | be effected at a moderate cost.

overcrowding is to enlarge the area in which It is impossible, at present, to say what effect people can live, and the most obvious thing to do | the making of Railways would have, but judging is, if possible, to get the Naval and Military Es. from other places it is reasonable to suppose that tablishments removed from the centre of the it would have the effect of removing many work; Town, or at all events to remove as far as they shops, and a large number of people, from the can do so consistently with the interests of the central part of the City, and, with better pro-

from the Naval and Military Authorities which city. The Villages would be increased; a portion they have appended to this their report. From of the Junk trade would find it convenient to go these returns it would appear that the Naval to the outports, especially if some allowance authorities have in their possession :-

In Victoria; Naval Yard . Hongkong, Mt. Gough Out of Victoria: Kowloon At Stonecutters' Island the use of a rifle) range extending to 600 yards..... At Kowloon the use of a rifle range ex- ? tending to 400 yards......

say 22 acres or 958,320 square feet. And the Military Authorities have in their possession about 337 acres or 13,579,720 square feet. Some of this land is at Stonecutters' Is. proved means of communication, and railways, girls. land and some at the Peak.

But in addition to this the Commissioners understand that there are tracts of land more es pecially at Kowloon and at the back of Kennedy Road, which owing to the restrictions placed vernment is unable to dispose of, although otherwise readily saleable.

The amount eccupied by the Naval and Milltary Authorities in the contre of the Town, and could provide a considerable amount of space. Authorities 44 acres—or at the rate of 43,560 square feet to the acre-206,910 square feet and by the Military Authorities, 84 acres, or 3,659,040 square feet. In addition to which the proposed reclamations in front of the Naval and placed to a separate account, on the ground that General that he had not proceeded and was not Military Establishments, except what is wanted for the new Praya are claimed as follows: -By the Naval Authorities 24 acres or 108,900 square. feet, and by the Military, 6 acres, or 261,360 their successors. square feet, making a grand total of 4.230,410

square foet. the recent purchases by the Military Authori- Land Beard, and not required for the purposes ties has been to make things werse than they of improvement, to the general revenue. were before, both in regard to their having on their businesses, and that from the fact of people from the Queen's-road they have more than

ever divided the town into two complete parts. tary Authorities is extremely valuable, and has principle, detrimental to the public interests. for some time been steadily increasing in value and, although it might not be advisable to put were put into the same fund as the purchase them discharged. the whole of the land into the market at once, yet, with the present increasing population of Revenue which would enable them to make the Government would not only get the pre- yield a large annual Revenue to the Government, mium for it, but a large Crown rent. In addition to this, as soon as the land:

a large amount for rates. There are other measures which could be carried out, in the event of the Government arrang ing for the Naval and Military Authorities to give up a sufficient quantity of the land they now to be less than 25 years' purchase, and also to occupy, such as tramways, reclamation of the foreshore, and other reglamations advantageous to be effected, all of which would tend to increase the general revenue of the Colony.

If the Naval and Military Authorities even gave up only the land to the North of the Queen's Boad it would be very much to the public ad-

Although the Commissioners are aware that there is great objection to giving up, on the part of the Naval and Military Authorities, of any portion of their land, yet the Commissioners think that the Naval and Military Authorities would not oppose themselves to the well being and the interests of the whole community if they were to a very large amount. thoroughly satisfied that they were standing in the way of the best interests of the colony. Sooner or later, the Commissioners think that if the population continues to increase, it will be absolutely necessary with the increasing

want of space, and value of land, that the space occupied by the Naval and Military Authorities will have to be relinquished in consequence of the pressure of population in the adjoining por-

Now that the forts are completed they will be worse than useless unless the garrison is largely increased. If the garrison is increased more buildings will have to be erected, and the cost of removal will be very greatly increased. If the best lands of the Colony are occupied for military purposes the Colony is really contributing enormously towards the expenses of the troops, and can hardly be called upon, in justice, to make any further military contribution,

The Commissioners, while attaching the greatest importance to the views of military experts, especially to those of so competent and liberal minded an officer as the present Major-General Cameron, C.B., are not convinced of the necessity of outting the City into two parts. They venture to think that other positions might be found,

to consider the advisability of removal. draw from the northern side of Queen's-road as at the Supreme Court House, Victoria Hongfar as they can possibly do so consistently with kong, the said, etc. keeping open their communication with the sea. the Commissioners consider that they should vits and correspondence:at all events be called upon to determine as to I To Ng, of Canton, in the Empire of China, what portion of the \$57 acres now in their occupation should be retained by them, and what restrictions it is necessary for them to impose upon land that is required for building purposes. the 9th day of August last, and I brought with J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, Esq. Great complaints have been made to the Com- me from Canton the above named six Chinese missioners as to alleged unnecessary restrictions girls aged respectively. Chan Mi Yung 19 imposed upon building at Kowloon, and also as years; To Mi Yuk 16 years; To Po Ngo 12 to building villa residences above Kennedy-road years; To Chin To 12 years; To Hi Choy 11 you intend to adopt with regard to the girls dewhich are greatly required, and as to both of years; and Lo Ho Choy 18 years; all unmarried. tained by you referred to in my letters of the which complaints the Commissioners, as at pre- 2.—The first named girl Chan Mi Yung alias 16th and 17th instant. sent advised, believe the restrictions alleged to Ho Ayuk placed herself voluntarily under my have been imposed to be unnecessary, either for charge for the purpose of travelling more conmilitary purposes in the one case, or with necest veniently, and with less risk of annoyance, and as

The Commissioners also strongly recommend own business: the removal of all public buildings, that are not | 8.—The other five girls above named were

dition of those parts of the Town of Victoria If the land were reclaimed between the City which are inhabited by Chinese, and that the rapid | Hall and Murray Pier the Post Office could be growth of the population cannot fail to have removed to a much better position for it there, and such passages were all of the first or second where the Post Office Officials could be slone to Statements have recently been made that, if themselves, have plenty of light, plenty of air, And the Gaol might be removed.

The cost of the new Gael would be large, and sioners think that in the valuations which The Commissioners are of opinion that this have been made, the increased Crown rents

other constituted body, to consider seriously and taken into consideration, and that it may to report as to whother any steps, can be taken not be advisable to spend all the money estiby the Government to afford Tellef, in this re- mated as the cost of the new Gaol for some spect, by putting land in the market for sale at time to come, if sufficient space is reserved for deavoured to see and speak with the said girls The Government, as has been pointed out, has removal would open out a considerable space for to do so. s monopoly of all the unsold land, and an in- building houses for some of the European tending purchaser must either comply with any population who are unable to find or afford the

If the Magistracy is continued there, of course

in reducing rents, because as lands in the hands before trial, and for those who are committed and 'proportional Crown rent is claimed by The Commissioners are of opinion that 'if the Naval and Military Authorities can be prevailed In addition to this as rents increase, so, in like upon to remove from the centre of the Town,

to the high rents asked for the very smallest. Rullway or Tramway with the villages and outlying districts, and by reclamations that may

tection, the better class of Chinese might be in-The Commissioners have received returns duced to remove their family houses out of the were made with regard to the payment of fees, A.R.P. and it would certainly make the Crown lands in 4.3.26 the neighbourhood of considerably increased value. ...5.0. 3 seeing that if it fell into the hands of private pital, nor have I been permitted to see or con- fuse permission to see them. persons it must inevitably be a monopoly, the Commissioners think if it were undertaken, (and there are no engineering difficulties in its way) it would probably be better that it should be undertaken by the Government, even if it wore subsequently leased to a private Company; and considering the vast numbers of Chinese who are

into the Southern part of China, thus increasing the commercial importance of the Colony. If the propositions for transferring Crown Lands to the Crown Land Board are extertained the Crown Land Board will be able to undertake said six girls in the said Tung Wa Hospital, upon them by the Military Authorities the Go. public works which would be remnnerative; they and that the said six girls should be released the harbour, and removal of public buildings

from the centre of the Town, the Government REDEMPTION OF CHOUN BENTS. from the sales of land are not now brought into | said six girls. the general Revenue of the Colony, but are

The Crown rents, the Commissioners think,

The expenses of reclamations, and expenses expense of individuals, the Government, owing Hospital. to not having the means to effect reclamations The land now occupied by the Nayal and Mili. itself, has hitherto acted upon an entirely wrong If the moneys receivable for Crown rents moneys, the Crown Land Board would have

in the shape of assessments. In that case the Crown Land Board might covered with houses the Government would get | be empowered, with the consent of the Governor subject to the instructions of the Secretary of State not only to spend their current Revenue, but to allow commutations for Crown rent, which, in the opinion of the Commissioners ought not

borrow upon the separity of Crown rents. It must be remembered that the Crown rents are the first charge upon all the lands, and is one of the safest modes of investment that can be

If the handing over the Crown rents to the Crown Land Board cannot be acceded to at present on account of the deficiency which would be created in the annual Revenue, yet the Revenue has been growing so largely that in a year or two's time the amount that is at present received for Crown rents would hardly be missed, and the effect of improvements to Crown property will certainly, or most probably, increase the rates

If at any time the Crown Rents should vield profit, the first thing which should be done the Commissioners think, is to reduce the amounts that are paid for rates which are now. in the City, no less than 13 per cent. on the estimated annual value.

> SUPREME COURT 23rd September.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. BEFORE THE FULL COURT.

HABEAS CORPUS—DETENTION OF SIX GIRLS IN THE TUNG WAR HOSPITAL Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mr. Creasy Ewens, appeared in support of the fol-

lowing motion:-IN THE MATTER OF CHAN MI YUNG, ALIAS Ho AYUK, To MI YUK, To Po Ngo, To CHIN TO, TO HI CHOY, AND LO HO CHOY. Take notice that this Honourable Court will which, with the aid of speedy communication be moved on Friday, the 23rd of September inthat might be obtained, would be equally advan- stant, at 3 of the clock in the afternoon of that tageous for all military purposes, and for the day, or so soon after as Counsel can be heard, by protection of the City, looking to its peculiar Mr. Francis, one of Her Majesty Counsel, of configuration, and would be prepared to suggest Council for To Ng, the lawful custodian or guarwhat they would consider to be suitable sites for dian of the above named Chan Mi Yung alias the whole barrack accommodation, inclusive of Ho Ayuk, To Mi Yuk, To Po Ngo, To Chin To, officers quarters and bungalows for married offi. To Hi Choy, and Lo Ho Choy, for a Writ of cers, and parade grounds, if there was the slight. Habeas Corpus ad subjiciendum to issue out of est chance of inducing the Military Authorities | this Honourable Court directed to Wei Po Shan, otherwise called Wei Yuk, the Chairman of the Whether the Military Authorities can be in- Committee of the Tung Wa Hospital, commandduced to leave the centre of the city, or to with- ing him to have before this Honourable Court

The learned counsel read the following affida-

say as follows :--I.-I arrived in Hongkong from Canton on many restrictions as a sanitary precaution, in the | she informed me, and as I verily believe, she was proceeding from Canton to Penang on her

5.—On the 10th day of August last I went on prisonment by you. board of the said steamer Deccan with the six girls intending to proceed with them in her to Penang, and on the same day I and the said six Gaol, and it is said that a new Gaol is not at in the employ of the Association known as the Rents in the colony are simply enormous, the present required, and that, if removed, the site Po Loung Kuk, without warrant or order of any kind, and we were taken before the Acting Registrar-General at his office. I was released and the said six girls were by the said Acting out the same accommodation and at least double the lower parts of the Town, and the Commis- Registrar-General ordered to be taken to and detained in the Tung We Hospital. 6.-No charge of any description has been

> preferred against me. 7.-- I was allowed to see and communicate with the said six girls once on the 13th August last, but, although I have repeatedly enextension. Still, as a measure of relief, its since that date, I have been refused permission

8.-I am advised and verily believe that the said six girls are illegally and improperly do- to leave tained in the Tung Wa Hospital, and I believe that the said six girls are desirous of being reand of proceeding on their journey to Penang, and would, if I could communicate with them, instruct and authorise me to apply on their behalf for a Writ of Habeas Corpus, and I have therefore instructed my solicitor, Mr. Creasy Ewens, to apply for the said Writ on the behalf of each of them.

To Wang Shi, of Canten, in the Empire of China, widow, do solemnly and sincerely declare and say as follows :one of the girls above named, and am mother ac- send me an early reply. cording to Chinese custom of the above named To Po Ngo and entitled to all the rights of a

mother over her. 2.—Early in the month of August last, I reuested my sister-in-law To Ng, who was then in Canton and about to proceed to Penang, to take the two girls above mentioned, my daughters, with her to Penang there to join a theatrical dated the 5th inst. I have to inform you that on troups, and I have given her'the care and custody | Monday next legal proceedings will be commenced of the said girls. The said To Ng with the poless the girls are previously released. two said girls and some others left Canton on or about the 9th August last.

down from Canton on the 15th day of August last and I am informed by the said To Ng and others and verily believe that my said daughters are detained in the Tung Wa Hospital in this city without any warrant or authority of the the Court for a Habeas Corpus in the case of the a debt which he admitted to be owing, and now law, and although I have applied there by my solicitor, Mr. Cressy Ewens, I have been refused 43.23 a Railway as an experiment might be tried, but permission to remove them from the said Hospi. Sin. Is there any objection to this or do you remove them from the said Hospi.

> I Creasy Ewens, of Victoria in the colony of Wei Yuk, Esq., Hongkong, a solicitor duly enrolled and practising in this Honourable Court, make oath and say as follows :-

1.-I was on or about the 16th day of August as might be necessary to obtain the release from | to allow you to see the girls. constantly passing through this place; it would have a considerable effect in introducing im- the Tung Wa Hospital of the above named six 2.—I at once put myself in communication

with the Acting Registrar General and with the Committee of the Tung Wa Hospital and 3.—The copies of letters hereunto annexed marked 1 to 17 are true copies of the letters that have passed between meand the Acting Registrar-

the present population ought not to be spending proceeding under Ordinance 9 of 1887, and I am and detained in the Tung Wa Hospital. 5.—I am instructed by the said To Ng to apmight well be put on the same feeting and ought ply on behalf of the said six girls to this Hon-It has been pointed out to the Commissioners, to be expended in the first instante in the im- ourable Court for a writ of Habeas Corpus, and

4.—I was informed by the Acting Registrar-

Hongkong, 16th August, 1887.

case for trial before a Police Magistrate.

C. Ewens.

Hongkong, 16th August, 1887 Dear Sir. - I am instructed by Chan Mi Yung to know under what authority you are detaining

Yours truly, I. H. Stowart-Lookhart, Esq., Acting Registrar-

Registrar General's Office. Hongkong, August 16th 1887 . Ewens, Esq., Sir.—In reply to your letter of to-day respec

ing five girls. I beg to request that you will good enough to inform me who the person To Ang, for whom you are acting, is, and what right she has to the girls in question. I have the honour to be, Your obedient Servant.

J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART. Acting Registrar-General Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.

Dear Bir,-Replying to your letter of yesterlay I am instructed that To Ang is the custotaken away. Yours faithfully. C. EWENS.

Registrar-General's Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887 C. Ewens, Esq.,

Sir,-In reply to your letter of yesterday, enquiring under what authority this Depart- to be doing there? ment is detaining in the Tung Wa Hospital one Mr. Francis-No one knows. There is no Yorks; J. Beaumont, Surrey; R. Peel, Yorks. Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company Chan Mi-yung, I have to say that no such per- matron there to take charge of them, and no son as the above named is known to this De- suitable accommodation. And I am informed

Sir. Your obedient Servant, J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART. Acting Registrar General Hongkong, 18th August, 1887. Dear Sir,-Chan Mi Yung was formerly known as Ho Ayuk, who I understand appeared before you on a previous occasion under that

Yours faithfully, C. EWENS. General.

Hongkong, 18th August, 1887. Dear Sir.-I understand from my client To told her you wished to see her. I do not know whether this is the case or not, but I should be glad if you would send a written notice if you hearing of the case. require her presence and that you would not see spinster, do solemnly and sincerely delare and her unless accompanied by her solicitor.

Hongkong, 23rd August, 1887. Dear Sir.—Please let me know what course

Yours faithfully, C. EWENE. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, Esq., Acting Registrar-General.

Hongkong, 5th September, 1887. Dear Sir, -With reference to the five girls To very much of persecution. Under these circum- and America, in connection with the fisheries absolutely essential, in the heart of the town. placed in my custody and charge in Canton by Mi Yuk, To Po Ngo, To Chin To, To Hi Choy, stances he would ask his Lorship's permission to laws,

their respective mothers that I might convey and Lo Ho Choyat present detained in the Tung | withdraw from the case, subject to proper ar-Wa Hospital, I hereby give you notice on be- rangement as to costs. 4.—On arrival in Hongkong I took passages half of Wong Shi, the lawful mother of the Mr. Webber, who appeared for the defendant, for myself and for the six girls from Hongkong above named To Chin To, and on behalf of To said that a barrister had been briefed for the to Pouang in the steamship Deccan, one of the Ng. the custodian and guardian of the other defence and every arr agement made in the case, steamers of the Peninsular & Oriental Co.'s line, girls, that they will attend at the Tung Wa as to which the felt every confidence in meeting. Hospital at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and de- However, if the costs incurred up to the present mand the release of these girls from their im- | were paid by the plaintiff he was quite willing

To the Chairman of the Tung Wa Hospital.

Hongkong, 5th September, 1887. Dear Sir,-I am instructed to give you notice on behalf of Chan Mi Yung, formerly known as withdrawal of the case. Ho Yuk, who is now illegally detained by you, that I shall attend at the Tung Wa Hospital at 3 p.m. this afternoon and demand her release from imprisonment.

Yours truly. To the Chairman of the Tung Wa Hospital. Hongkong, 5th September, 1887. Ewens, Esq.

date. I beg to inform you that the girls in question are not imprisoned, but have been sent to the Hospital by the Acting Registrar-General, without whose permission I cannot allow them Should Chan Mi Yung or Wong Shi endea-

Dear Bir.—In reply to your letters of this

vour to make their way into the Hospital it may be necessary to charge them with trespassing.

Chairman, Tung Wa Rospital. 5th September, 1887. Sir.—Referring to my previous letters to you to which I have had no roply I enclose copies of letters to the Chairman of Po Loung Kuk and the Chairman of the Tung Wa Hospital and of the reply of Mr. Wei Ayuk, and I shall be glad 1.—I am the uterine mother of To Chin To. so under what authority you are acting. Please Mr. Vila.

. H. Stewart-Lookbart, Esq., Acting Registrar-

8th September, 1887. Dear Sir.—Referring to my last letter to you

3 .- At the request of the said To Ng I came J. H. Stewart-Lockbart, Esq., Acting Registrar-

14th September, 1887. Dear Mr. Wei Yuk.—I am going to apply to he had already evaded payment several times o girls imprisoned in the Tung Wa Hospital; be- although execution was granted, Mr. Webber fore applying I wish to see the girls with Mr. | had undertaken not to issue it unless absolutely Yours truly. C. EWENS.

Hongkong, 14th September, 1887. Dear Mr. Ewens,—I have received your letter You can of course make any application to the last instructed by one To Ng to take such steps | Court you may think fit, but I have no authority

Wai AYUK.

Chairman, Tung Wa Hospital The learned Counsel said that as the girls demanded their authority for the detention of the were travelling first or second class they did not come under the Emigration Ordinance. before his Worship. Their Lordships would see the facts were would be in a position, probably, to satertain and given back into the custody of the said To briefly these, that these six girls of ages some such scheme; and with reclamations in Ng, but I have been unable to obtain their release, ranging from 19 to 11 came down here in the custody of the woman To Ng, who was related to some of them, and she was going with them to Fenang, where they were and asked that if there were no witnesses forth-General and between me and other persons being sent by their mothers to their people to coming for the prescoution the prisoner might be The whole of the purchase moneys received therein appearing relative to the detention of the join a theatrical troups. They were travelling descharged first and second class, and were on board the steamer, when they were removed by one difficulty they had to obtain witnesses. The discovered near where the Lady Brassey nugget of the detectives of the Po Lenng Kuk and offence with which the prisoner was charged was was found a few weeks ago. The present specimen taken before the Acting Registrar-General, committed as far back as 1883. Since that time is the shape of a man's hand, and is computed the assets of the Colony except in permanent advised and verily believe that the said six He did not think there was any doubt that, ex- the shop where the burglary had taken place to be worth £2,500. improvements which will be to the benefit of girls are illegally and improperly imprisoned cept under Ordinance 9 of 1887, the Registrar- had been closed and the occupants had gone General had absolutely no power whatever to away. Hence this delay. He should ask theredetain any women or girls or interfere with fore under these circumstances for a further them in any way whatever, and in two or three remand of a week. personal interviews Mr. Ewens had with the Mr. Dennys said he must make the same objec-Mr. Ewens made an application authorised by single act sworn to against the prisoner, and Catalogue post from Offices:-79. Queen firmities crept apace upon her. Dear Sir.—I am instructed by To Ang to the Ordinance that if he was proceeding under therefore he held that his Worship had no power turned out a number of people having to seek of many of the recommendations that are made apply to you with reference to five girls named that Ordinance he would remit the case to the to detain him in custody. If Mr. Caldwell would Advt. for some other places in which to live and carry to Government are enormous, and the Com- To Mi Yuk, To Po Ngo, To Chun To, To Hi Magistrate. The learned coursel read the sec. go into the box or would file an affidavit undermissioners think that in regard to reclamations, Choy, and Lo Ho Choy respectively who are, I tion of the Ordinance requiring the Registrar- taking to produce evidence within a month or six their having dispossessed and turned out all these which have hitherto mostly been made at the understand, detained by you in the Tung Wa General, when he had reason to believe a girl months he would be satisfied. was being improperly dealt with, to summon His Worship said he saw no reason to believe If you are proceeding under Ordinance 9 of before him the custodian of such girl. He said that the Chinese Government were not acting 1887, I am instructed to ask you to commit the nothing in the nature of a summons had been in a boug fide manner, and he should therefore issued in this case, the detective simply removed | remand the case for a week, but he wished Mr. | Op 1.08 DON -If you do not intend to do so, please have the people from the steamer. Undoubtedly the Caldwell to arge apon the Chinese Government girls would come within the Ordinance if to proceed with this case as soon as possible. they were intended to be disposed of as prostitutes. That waster of ovidence, day next. the colony, it would be rapidly absorbed, and permanent improvements, many of which would J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, Esq., Acting Registrar- and they had no knowledge of what information was in the possession of the Registrar-General. He then read another section of the Ordinance imposing a penalty on persons not appearing and producing the child when summoned, but said there was no power given to the Registrar-General to Capt. Darke, R.N.R., with Australian mails, her in the Tung Wa Hospital as she wishes to issue a warrant for the arrest and detention of the persons. The learned counsel then read the sections governing the procedure to be followed in the inquiry before the Registrar General, including one to the effect that the person interested might be assisted by counsel or solicitor. this case they had been refused any information as to whether there had been an inquiry, in fact they had been told the proceedings were not under the Ordinance. Then powers were given to the Registrar-General to make certain orders on being satisfied of certain facts, but in this case they had no knowledge of any such orders having been made. Neither the Registrar- took place on the question of the proclaiming of General nor the Directors of the Tung Wah, the National League. Mr. Gladstone moved Hospital had attempted to justify themselves by that the House disallow the proclamation, as the that section. Then there was a section providing | necessity for such a measure had not been provthat the person accused might ask to have ed. He deprecated beycotting, but deslared, Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limitedthe case remitted to a Police Magistrate for in- however, that the League had brought invaluvestigation. That application was made in this able benefits to the Irish people. In reply, Mr. case and no enswer whatever was given. The Balfour. Chief Secretary for Ireland, stated children had been detained in custody all that there were at the present moment nearly this time and no steps taken to bring them 5,000 people who were boycotted in one way or before a Magistrate. He submitted there another. He declared that the labours of the dian of the five girls referred to therein and is fore they were entitled to a writ of habens League were directed towards the destruction of Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$225 per the person from whose custody the girls were corpus. The girls were being prevented from landlords, and not toward the protection of ten-

with their solicitor, who consequently had been length, was finally adjourned. nnable to ascertain their own personal wishes. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, Esq., Acting Registrar | The application was made on behalf of the girls,

who, he submitted, were entitled to be brought before the court in order that their Lordship might | which has been finally chosen by G. F. Vernon examine them as to whether they were rightly to visit Australia during the ensuing cricket detained or not. Their Lordships might con- sesson: -G. F. Vernon, Middlesex, Hon. M. B. sider it sufficient to address the writ to the Hawke, Yorks; A. E. Newton, Oxford Univer-Chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital. The Chief Justice-What are they supposed | Surrey; A. E. Stoddart, Middleser, R. Abel,

there are women in the Tung Wah Hospital now who have been there for years, women thirty years of age. His Lordship-Involuntarily?

asking the question, but women who have been sent in there under similar proceedings as in the into requisition, and several volleys were fired, present case and have remained there ever since. His Lordship—I understood they were restor- rioters. ed to their friends. Mr. Francis-But I am assured on excellent information-you cannot take it as evidencethat it is not so. I do think some enquiry

J. H. Stewart-Lockhart Esq., Acting Registrar- Wah Hospital with the number of girls who are ment for a detachment of regular troops to prehow disposed of The writ was granted addressed to the Chair- system. Ang that the detective of the Po Leung Kuk man of the Tung Wah Hospital, and an order made that notice should be given to the Registrar-General. Wednesday next was fixed for the strong British garrison will shortly be station-

> IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE MR. A. J. LEACH, ACTING PUISNE

KAW HONG TAKE V. PATTERSON. With reference to this case Mr. Caldwell, who appeared for the plaintiff, said his Lordship had been pleased to appoint Tuesday next for the hearing of this case. Within five minutes of of the railway. his coming into Court he had been instructed by Mr. Kaw Hong Take that he wished to withdraw from this case. It appeared that it had been urged upon his client by his friends that to bring a civil action for \$1,000 damages against sident Cleveland, urging him to sanction ar- Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-8 per cent. a man in the position of defendant would sayour bitration in difficult disputes between England

to consent to the case being withdrawn.

the costs of the case. Mr. Caldwell said his client was willing to pay the costs upon taxation. His Lordship said that was most reasonable, and under these circumstances he would note the

The action was accordingly withdrawn. GUIDAU V. HUNERFAUTH

This was a claim for \$47. Mr. Wabber appeared for the plaintiff The defendant admitted the debt, but said the money was owed to Mr. Vila and not to plain-

Mr. Webber said the debt had been transferred to his client. Defendant had been given notice of the claim some five or six days ago. The claim was former cannot oppose the French annexation for cartain goods supplied by Mr. Vila, a hair the New Hebrides, though they are entitled dresser on board the M. M. steamer Anadyr, supplied to Mr. Hunerfauth upon his starting to those islands. in business. The money had been owing for some time and on several occasions defendant had promised payment. The plaintiff was the agent for Mr. Vila.

His Lordship asked if Mr. Vila had acknowedged plaintiff as his agent. Mr. Webber said Mr. Vila had been to his His Lordship asked when Mr. Yila was likely to return to this Colony.

Mr. Webber said be would be back in about Bixtoon days. the reply of Mr. Wei Ayuk, and I shall be glad to know if the girls are detained by you, and if but would stay execution until the arrival of garded a military occupation of the islands by

Mr. Webber asked that execution might be granted. Mr. Vila would be back in about sixteen days and would probably not touch at Hebrides question, suggests that France should this colony again for some time and if execution seek some other territory, the annexation of were granted be would undertake not to issue which would be acceptable to England as comexecution unless absolutely necessary to ensure payment of the money.

should give judgment and execution. Defendant said Mr. Webber had not given him six days' notice. He had only received notice some two days ago. Defendant was procooding to make further remarks, when His Lordship said he thought he had got of very well. According to Mr. Webber's statement, which he believed to be absolutely correct

Judgment was therefore given for the plaintiff with execution on the conditions intimated by his solicitor.

POLICE COURT 23rd September. BEFORE MR. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES.

THE RENDITION CASE. Ching Asam, charged with murder and burg lary on the 18th August within the jurisdiction of the Emperor of China, was again brought duced the rate of postage on Australian mails

Mr. Caldwell appeared for the Chinese Go. 20 pfenniges per letter. vernment, and Mr. Dennys for the defence. •Mr. Caldwell asked for a further remand as London a sum of £20,000 as the contribution of his witnesses were not present Mr. Dennys objected to any further remand

Mr. Caldwell said his Worship would see the | Sulky Gully, near Creswick. The nugget was

The case therefore stands adjourned till Fri-

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The E. and A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Catterthun, arrived here yesterday morning. The subjoined telegramsare taken from our Australian files:-A HOME RULE CONSTITUTION FOR IRELAND.

LONDON, 24th August. Sir Charles Gavan Duffy has devised a Home Rule Constitution for Ireland, the provisions of which are to a large extent founded upon the Constitutions of the Australian colonies.

ME. GLADSTONE AND THE NATIONAL LONDON, 26th August. In the House of Commons last night a debate

ENGLISH CRICKETERS FOR AUSTRALIA. sity; T. C. O'Brien, Middlesex; W. W. Read Surrey; W. Attewell, Nottingham; W. Bates, ATTACK BY BELGIAN FISHERMEN ON ENGLISH CEEWS.

Baussels, 25th August. A fatal riot occurred at Ustend yesterday. number of Belgian fishermen made a violent attack on the crews of some English fishing Mr. Francis-We cannot say that without smacks lying in the harbour. The services of the Gendarmerie and Civil Artillery were called killing and wounding a number of the Ostend

MANITOBA AND THE AMERICAN BAILWAY

LONDON, 29rd August. Sir John Macdonald, the Premier of Canada, between Manitoba and the American railway LONDON, 24th August.

ed et Winnipeg. LONDON, 25th August. Canadian Parliament and the Legislature of Manitoba, arising out of the granting of a char- Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li ter for the construction of a railway from Manitoba to the frontier of the United States, Sir John Macdonald, the Canadian Premier, has

THE CANADIAN FISHERIES DISPUTES. London, 24th August. of Commons have signed a memorial to Pre-

FRANCE AND MADAGASCAR. LONDON, 25th August. France has been compelled to abandon her claims for supremacy in the internal affairs of Madagasear, and has approved of the residence of foreign consuls on the island. ANTARCTIC EXPLORATION.

Londón, 23rd August. Sir Graham Berry had an interview vesterday with the Right Hon. G. J. Gosehen, Chanceller His Lordship asked Mr. Caldwell how about of the Exchequer, in reference to the proposal to send a scientific and exploring expedition to the Antarctic regions. He made a request for an Imperial grant of £5,000 for that purpose. on condition that the principal Australian Governiment contributed a like amount.

> THE NEW HEBRIDES QUESTION. Paris, 23rd August. The République Française to-day, in an ar ticle on the New Hebrides question, declar that an agreement between England and France regarding the group might easily be arrived if the British Government would stop the absni calumnies and rhodomontade of the Australia colonies. Great Britain and Germany had divi ed New Guinea, and, the writer continues, the guarantees against the transportation of convic

LONDON, 24th August The discussion on the New Hebrides question was resumed in the House of Commons last night: Mr. J. Bryce, M.P. for Aberdeen South, complained that Franco was evading a settlement of the question. He expressed the hope that England would not agree to offer office and had there said that the plaintiff was concessions elsewhere in the Pacific in order to his agent and was authorised to receive the secure the evacuation of the New Hebrides by the French. Sir James Fergusson, Under- Foschow .. Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in reply, said that England was bound to recognise the desire for expansion on the part of powerful nations, and England had no right to object to French colo-

Frauce with feelings of fear and doubt. Paris, 24th August. Le Soleil to-day, in an article on the New pensation for waiving the French claims to the New Hebrides: and this is the sole motive for His Lordship said under these conditions he | the opposition of France to an immediate settle

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

LONDON, 22nd August, The Rvo. Alfonsus O'Neill will sail for Sydney in September for the purpose of establishing a branch of the order of Passionists in that city. London, 23rd August. Messrs. Kains and Jackson estimate that the average yield of the English wheat crop will be

over 31 bushels to the acre. Other estimates

place it higher. The yield of barloy is slightly

under the average; and that of cats is consider ably below the average. LONDON, 24th August. On the after September 23 the Orient Com pany's steamers will call at Albany on alternate voyages, carrying the mails.

Rome, 24th August. His Holiness the Pope has announced, in response to the offers of the Government of New South Wales, that the Propaganda is enlisting a number of priests, mostly Irish Trappists, to undortake mission work among the aboriginals of that colony. LONDON, 25th August. The Postal authorities in Germany have re-

MELEOURNE, 23rd August, A nugget of gold weighing 60lb, was uncarthed

BYWATER, TANQUERAY & Co. (late Bywaret Perry & Co.) are agents for Residents abroad. Missionaries, Chaplains, &c., in every part of the Acting Registrar-General—he did not answer tion as on the previous occasion. There ap. world. Goods and Outfits supplied at Whole. Indigestion and Dyspepsia, and out of this had by several persons, that the city of Victoria is registers-General said passages arranged really divided into two towns, and the effect of only the annual profits received by the Crown by the case should not drag to the previous occasion. There appropriate the Crown property, transferring and out of this had passages arranged to the said girls to the said girls to the said girls to the said girls to the case should not drag to the complaints as ago, and bodily inhe was not proceeding under that Ordinance. on in this way for ten years. There was no Banking in all its branches. Full descriptive Victoria Street, London. 2,000 References.

> COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. FRIDAY, 23rd September.

CHANGE. Bank Bills, on demand ... Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight3/24
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight3/24 Credits, at 4 months sight3/2 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' ON PARIS. Bank Bills, on demand Credits, at 4 months sight4.11 NEW YORK. BOMBLY.-Telegraphic Transfer2234 N CALCUTTA.-Bank, on demand224 ON SHANGHAL-

Quotations are :ongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-129 per cent, premino, ex, buyers. \$80 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares— \$66 per share, ex, div.

North China Insurance—Tls. 270 per share,

Yangtaze Insurance Association—Tls. 114 per communicating with the mother or custodian, or ants. The debate, which was of considerable On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tis. 148 Syrup would prove as useless as the other per share. Canton Insurance Office, Limited-\$70 per The following are announced as the team Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-83721 per sbare. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$77 per share, sales and buyers.

> 316 nom., buyers. Shares-73 per cent prem. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares—\$97 per cent, prem. Indo China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-10 per cent, discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited -30 per cent. discount, nominal. Donglas Steamship Company, Limited-\$50 per Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$125 per

Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited-

Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$200 per China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$148 per share, ex. div. ought to be made as to what is done in the Tung has threatened to apply to the British Govern- Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-255 per share, nominal. taken there, as to how they are locked after and vent the completion of the railway connection Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$51 per Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -3110 per share. Sir John Macdonald has announced that a Porak Tin Mining and Smelting Company -\$10, nom. Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Company, Limited-\$115, sellers. In connection with the dispute between the Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per

> Limited—60 per cent. discount. denied that he adopted a menseing tone towards A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-65 per cent Manitoba when he threatened to apply for a premium. British military force to prevent the completion | Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited-47 per cent. prem. Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$18 per share. Two hundred members of the Canadian House | Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-6 per cent. premium.

Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co.,

mited-\$35 per share.

premium.

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The Barometer has risen along the coast and gradients are gentle for N.E. winds. The weather is not but rather dry and cloudy. At 12.17 p.m. directions were issued to take W. DOBERCK.

Hongkong Observatory, 23rd September, 1887. WETFOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

On date | On date t 10 s.m. at 4 p.m. ounperature: irration of wind ... E.S.E. $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{E}$.

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6.—STATE OF THE WEATHER; B. blue sky; C. detached clouds; D. drizzling min; F. fug; G. gloomy; H. ball; L. lightning; O. overemet; P. passing showers; Q. squally; R. rain; S. snow; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. dew (wet).

7.—Kare in inches. touth- and hundredths.

Honrkong Observatory, 23rd September, 1887.

A PAUPER'S DYING REQUEST.

An amusing and yet pathetic incident in what the post Gray called "the short and simple annals of the poor," is told by Mr. John J. R. Micklejohn, one of the Inspectors of the Poor, at carried by the North German Lloyd steamers to Lerwick, Shetland Islands. He says that some The Canadian Government has remitted to time ago an old woman, named Barbara Smith, the Dominion towards the funds of the Imperial came under the notice of the Board. She was extremely ill, and it did not look likely that she would long need care of any kind. She did not this morning in the Midas Company's claim, at reside on the mainland, but on a small island a few miles distant, and there being no parochial institutions in that place, Burbara necessarily oscopied the position of a pauper living out. The trouble from which she suffered dated back many years. In better and more prosperous days she had in some way laid the foundation for Chronic

> Barbara was not ignorant, albeit she had fallen into poverty. In earlier life she somehow obtained the advantage of a fair education, and this added to native shrewdness, enabled her to use good judgment in respect to her own situation and state of health. Although she had long suffered from asthma and a bronchial affection-Barbara was wisa enough to see that these ailments arose from the disordered stomach and digestion, and that if the main trouble could be ured the others would soon leave her. It is probable that her disease began as others do, with the usual symptoms: headaches, bad breath, the rising of sour fluids in the throat, oppression and faintness at the pit of the stomuch, loss of sleep, coated tongue, dall eyes, bad tast in the mouth, &c., and finally became chronic and hopeless through her not being able to find any remedy The Inspector states that she had been under medical treatment for years, but to no effect. In this strait she one day made the following touching appeal to the Inspector: "I have been swallowing medicines for months. They do me no good. I am going on from worse to worse. I can endure it no longer. I feel that in a week or two I shall be dead. There is one last request I would make of you: give me a bottle of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup; it is my only hope. If it proves a failure and does me no good I will die in peace,

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ngkong, 16th July, 1887. Agents. [60	PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY, &c. SYDNEY & MELBOURNE, &c.	Taiyuan Now Gui	(str.) inen (str.)	W. M. Dodd Wale	Hongkong Hongkong Hongkong	Butterfield & Swire Gibb, Livingston & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co	On 27th inst., Daylight, On or about 25th inst. To-day, at Noon.
e Undersigned are now prepared to	YOROHAMA AND KOBE	Glamorga Electra (s	tr.) nshire(str.) itr.)	Wilkens D. Divies L. Madsen	Hongkong Hongkong	Adamson, Bell & Co Siemesen & Co Geo. R. Stevens & Co	On 26th instant. To-day, at Noon. To-day, at Noon.
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COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	SHANGBAI BANGKOK SWATOW, AMOY, &c.	Kong Bar Thales (st	- :	F. W. Phillips Hunter	Hongkong Hongkong	Vuen Fat Houg	To-day, at 10 A.M. To-day, at Noon. To-morrow, at 8 A.M.
IE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-ANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-risks at current rates.	AMOY AND TAMSUI		(str.) tr.)	James Young Roach	Hongkong Hongkong	Douglas Lapraik & Co	To-day, at 3 P.M.
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ngkong, 1st January, 1882. [16]	for shipment per steamer "GLAUC BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,	27th fost., US,"		"LEESANG	patched as	bove SAIGON, SINGAP	M FOR ORE, BATAYIA, CO- HERRY, MADRAS.
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FOR NAGABAKI, KOBE, AND DUNKIRK, AND ANTWERP. YOKOHAMA.

will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on "CARISBROOKE," R. Cass: Commander, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 24th inst., at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 21st September, 1887. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAI, HIOGO, AND

> THE Company's Steamship NINGCHOW. G. L. Castle, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 24th inst. | rang's Office. For Freight, &c., apply to
> ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th September, 1887,

YOKOHAMA.

UNION LINE. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. ** HE Steamship " TRAVANCORE:

Captain Logan, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 23rd instant. For Freight or Pessage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 16th September, 1887.

immediately on proof of death, together notice to the contrary be given before Noon THE British Steamer Dividend of 50 per Cent. of all TO-DAY, the 20th inst. FOR SWATOW. "PAKSHAN."

landed into the Godowas of the Kowloon Pier | Captain James Young, will be despatched for and Godown Co. and stored at Consignees' risk | the above Ports TO: MORROW, the 25th inst., at Eight a.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to HOP HING HONG. Agenta. Hougkong, 21st September, 1887.

[1823]OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON YIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Company's Stampship " PALINURUS."

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above O-MORHOW, the 25th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 21st September, 1887. THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, AND ADELAIDE. Calling at Pont DARWIN and QUEENSLAND Ponts, and taking through Cargo for TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &c.) the above Port TO-DAY, the 24th instant, at HE British Steamer

> "NEW GUINEA!" Captain Wale, having arrived with part cargo from Japan and Foschow, will be despatched as above on or about the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers. 1780 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1887.

will be despatched for the above Ports TO-"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. HE Steamship " GLÁMORGANSHIRE,"

D. Davies, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on the 25th inst. This Steamer has Superior Passenger Accommodation, For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 20th September, 1887. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE Steamship

"BRECONSHIRE," W. Waring, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 30th For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 21st September, 1887. NORTHERN PACIFIC BAILRO AD. FOR UNITED STATES & CANADA (VIA YOKOHAMA & TACOMA). HE American Ship

"ALEXANDER GIBSON."

will be despatched from YOKOHAMA about 4th Prox. for Tacoma, in connection with the above Railroad, and the undersigned are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading by her. For Freight, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 8th September, 1887. [1732]

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L I I American Ship "ISAAC REED," TIME, and South AMERICAN FORTS up Captain F. D. Walde, shortly expected, will lead to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through here for the above Port, and will have quick

rates to MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, despatch. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 26th August, 1887. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L II Norweg. Ship

shortly expected here, will load for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 19th August, 1897.

N THURSDAY, the 29th September, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "YANGTSE," Commandant Bonnesoy, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marsellles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 28th Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are

For further particulars, apply at the Com-G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 17th September, 1887. CANADIAN PACIFIC CINE.

TARING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,

AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. THE British Steamship

" PARTHIA," 3,167 Tons Register, C. Brough, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., VIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, | he 29th September at THESE P.M. To be followed by S. S. "BATAVIA," on 15th October, and S. S. "ABYSSINIA." 8th November. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular

Steamers of the Pacific COAST STEAMSHIP Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:-To Vancouver Mexican \$160.00. To Victoria and San Francisco...... 175.00.

To all Common Points in Canada ? and the United States 5 To London To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van-

conver, B.C.
Freight will be received on Board until 4 P.M. on the 28th September. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the some will be received by us until 5 r.m. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 14th September, 1887. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, FIRE 3/3 L. I. I. British Ship PORT SAID. BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG.

PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS; LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

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PLACES IN RUSSIA, N THURSDAY, the 29th day of September, 1887, at FOUR P.M., the Company's Steamship "NECKAR," Captain Baur, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and

CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 28th Sept., 1887. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation S. R. Ulmer, Master, shortly expected here, will and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 5th September, 1887.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L II American Ship "GOVERNOR GOODWIN," shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to BIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 26th August, 1887. FOR HAMBURG DIRECT. THE 3/3 L II German Bark

"AMARANTH." Captain Moriuse, will load for the above Port. and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CABLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 19th August, 1887.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND EUROPE: VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "GAELIC" will despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohams, on SATURDAY, the 1st October, at 3 P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows :--

To San Francisco and return, 350.00 available for 6 months To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imporial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on

application. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year months, will be allowed a discount of 10%. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and or STORES. Inpan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-

tined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 12th September, 1887. U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT

YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. THE U. S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF NEW YORK," will be despatched for San Francisco, vià Yokohama, on TUES-DAY, the 11th October, at THREE P.M. taking Passengers and Freight for Japan the United States and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports,

to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities, Buildings) lately occupied by the ROYAL NAVAL of the United States, via Overland Railways, to SEAMAN'S CLUB. Havena, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

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